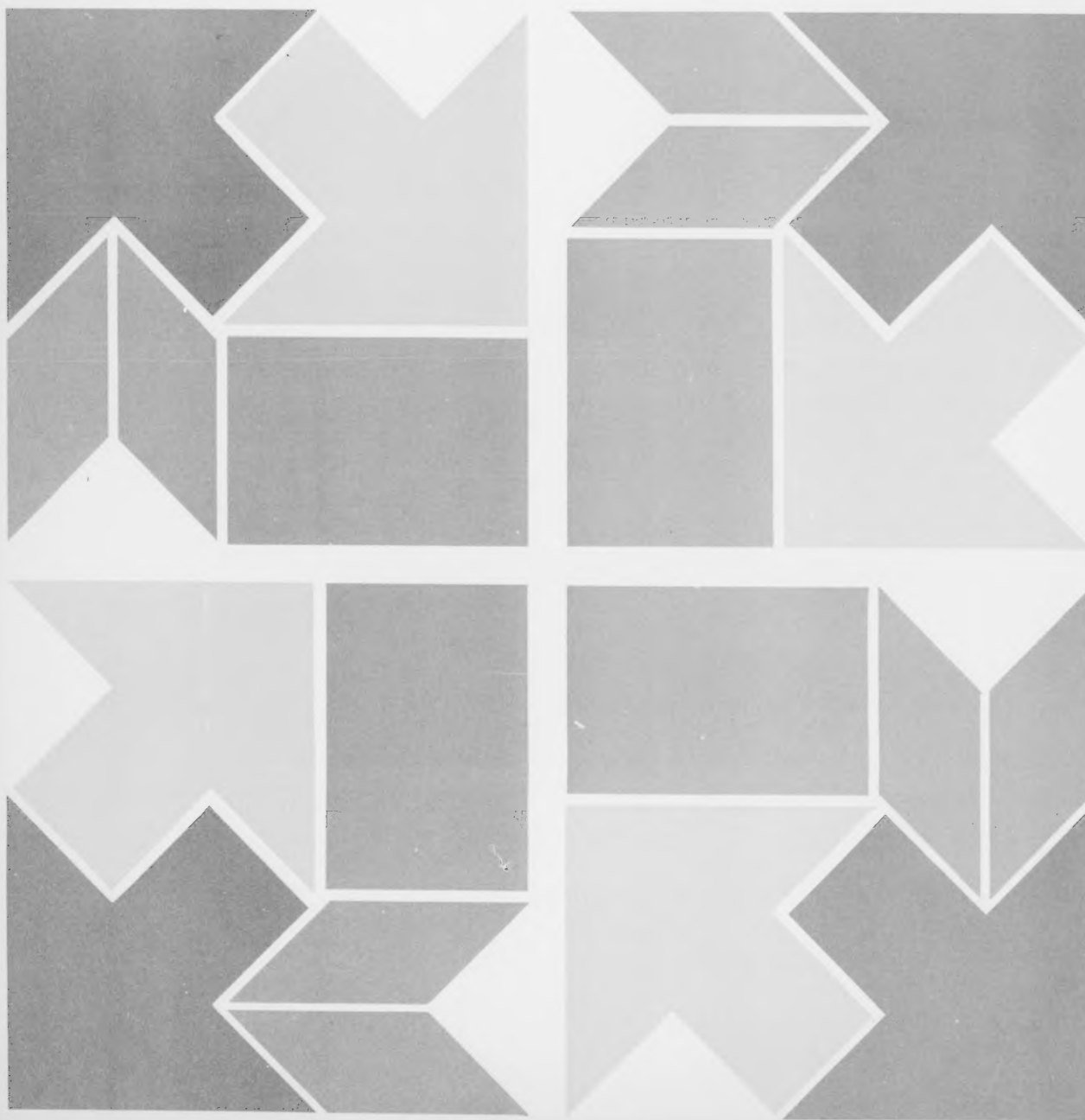


# Area Trends

## In Employment and Unemployment



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Area Trends contains the official list of areas in which employers are eligible for preference in bidding on certain Federal contracts on the basis of high unemployment under Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A (DMP-4A) and the Buy American Act. It also provides summary labor force data on major labor areas as well as a classification of these areas according to the adequacy of labor supply.

Descriptions of both the program for which areas are eligible on the basis of high unemployment and the criteria used in determining such eligibility as well as a listing of the eligible areas are provided in the section "Eligible Areas for Bidding on Federal Contracts Under Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A (DMP-4A) and the Buy American Act." A description of the criteria used by the Department in classifying major labor areas according to the adequacy of labor supply is provided in the section "Labor Supply Classifications and Summary Labor Force Data for Major Labor Areas."

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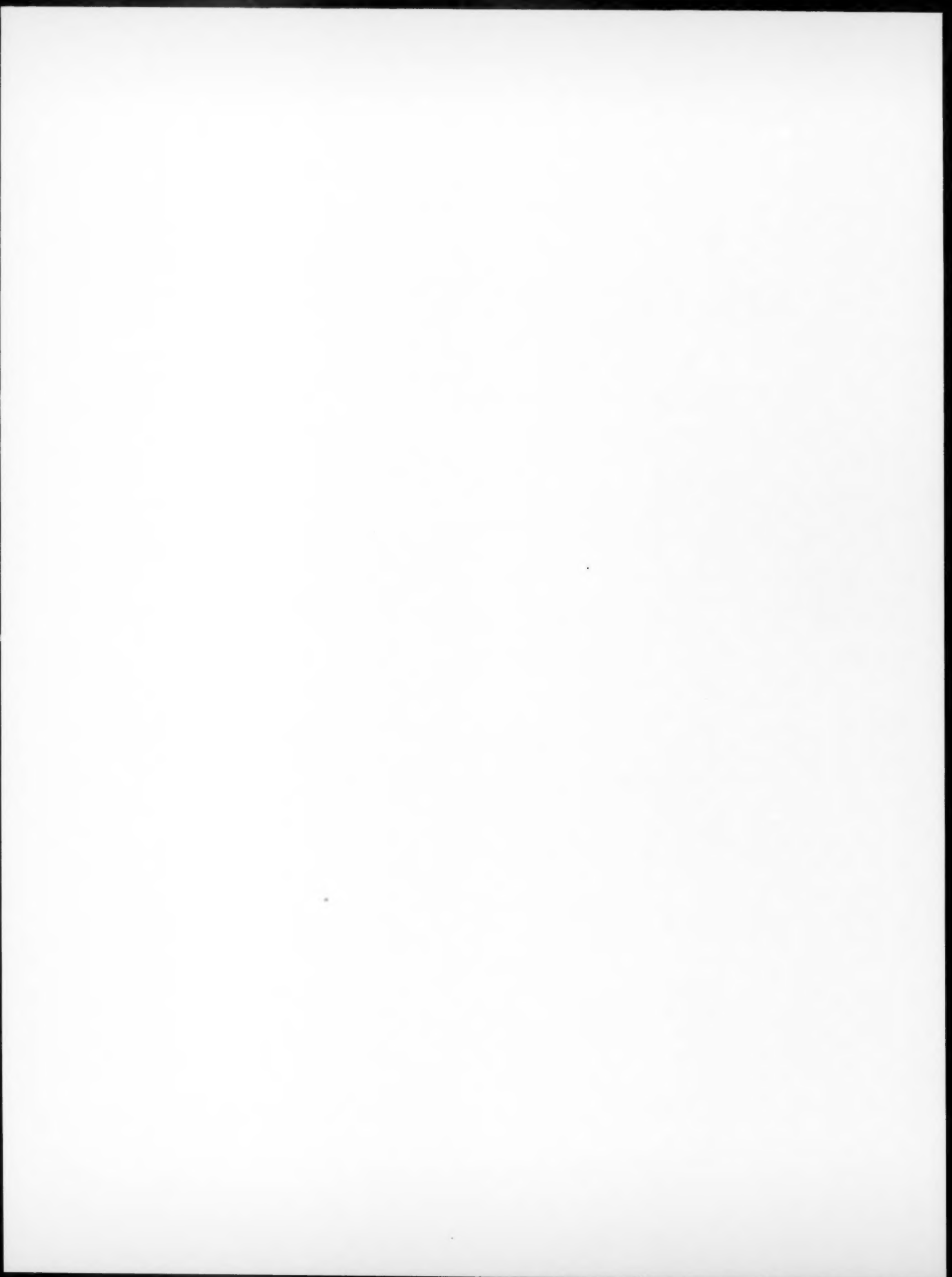
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# Eligible Areas for Bidding on Federal Contracts Under Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A (DMP-4A) and the Buy American Act, Third Quarter 1978

## Background

Employers located in eligible labor surplus areas, as determined by the Department of Labor, and who meet other criteria, are entitled to preference in bidding on Federal procurement contracts. The criteria used in determining eligible labor surplus areas implement amendments to the Small Business Act (PL 95-89) and Executive Order 10582 (concerning the Buy American Act).

The criteria used in determining eligible labor surplus areas are intended to put the Government's procurement dollars in areas where people are in most severe economic need. They replace the classification procedures initiated in 1951-1952 when the national jobless rate was around 3 percent and most labor surplus areas had unemployment rates of 6 percent or more.

During the 1970's when the jobless rate drifted upward, the number of labor surplus areas also increased significantly. This blunted the intent of the previous Defense Manpower Policy No. 4 (DMP-4) to focus the awarding of Federal procurement contracts on areas of inordinately high unemployment.

Because of these reasons, the classification criteria were revised. Instead of basing eligibility on a fixed cutoff—i.e., a local unemployment rate of 6 percent or more—the revised criteria now vary with the national rate.

## Classification Criteria

An area is now classified as a labor surplus area if its unemployment rate is at least 1.20 times the national rate. In addition, the criteria for determining eligible labor surplus areas include both a floor and a ceiling. All areas must have a floor of at least 6 percent to qualify. This will insure that during periods of low unemployment only areas with generally recognized high unemployment receive DMP-4A consideration. The ceiling concept is utilized during periods of unusually high unemployment. Any area will qualify with a jobless rate of 10 percent or more.

A labor area can also be classified under the new criteria as eligible for DMP-4A preference if it encompasses a smaller area of concentrated high unemploy-

ment, so long as the unemployment rate for the overall area is at least equal to the floor rate of 6.0 percent. Such classifications are made when (1) the jobless rate of the smaller area (i.e., cities or counties) meets the 1.20 ratio test, (2) the smaller area has a population of at least 50,000 and (3) the number of unemployed in the smaller area accounts for at least 25 percent of the total unemployment in the overall area.

The revised procedures for determining eligible labor surplus areas also permit the Department of Labor at its discretion to waive the eligibility criteria in areas where a sudden and precipitous rise in unemployment has occurred—not immediately reflected in the unemployment for the reference period. Such instances can arise due to natural disasters, plant closings, contract cancellations, etc. that have a substantial impact on the area's unemployment and are not the result of temporary or seasonal factors. In situations where such exceptional circumstances exist, the Labor Department can, upon petition from a State employment security agency, declare such areas eligible for DMP-4A preference for a period not to exceed 1 year.

## Eligibility Determined Quarterly

The eligibility of labor surplus areas under DMP-4A (which replaces DMP-4) and the Buy American Act is determined quarterly. This replaces the previous practice under DMP-4 of monthly determinations of such eligible areas.

The reference period used in making the eligibility determination is the 12-month period ending 3 months prior to the date of the quarterly classifications. The reference period used in determining the areas in the following listing of eligible labor surplus areas is the 12-month period from April 1, 1977 through March 31, 1978. This listing of eligible labor surplus areas under the new criteria was effective on July 1, 1978 and remains in effect through the end of the third quarter, i.e., September 30, 1978. The next listing of eligible labor surplus areas will be effective October 1, 1978 and will remain in effect through December 31, 1978.

## Labor Surplus Areas Added and Deleted from Second Quarter Listing

Areas Added to List of Eligible Labor Surplus  
Areas Under Defense Manpower Policy 4A, July,  
August, September 1978

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**Alabama**

Jackson  
Roanoke

**Alaska**

Bethel Division  
Juneau Division

**Arkansas**

Blytheville  
Chicot County  
Conway  
Des Arc  
Fulton County  
Mountain View

**Colorado**

Blanca  
Delta  
Dove Creek  
Garfield County  
Moffat County  
Ouray County  
Summit County

**Florida**

Lafayette County  
Palatka

**Georgia**

Blackshear  
Cordele  
Manchester  
Roberta

**Idaho**

Bonnars Ferry

**Illinois**

Canton  
Du Quoin  
Fayette County  
Jerseyville  
KANKAKEE (SMSA)  
Litchfield  
Mount Vernon  
Olney  
Shelbyville  
Warren County

**Indiana**

Madison  
Rockville

**Kentucky**

Jenkins  
Russell Springs  
Stanford

**Louisiana**

Bastrop  
Lutcher  
Plaquemine

**Michigan**

LANSING-EAST LANSING (SMSA)

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**Mississippi**

BILOXI-GULFPORT (SMSA)

Hazlehurst

Indianola

Rolling Fork

Waynesboro

**Missouri**

Alton

Charleston

Steelville

Versailles

**Montana**

Anaconda

Butte

Cut Bank

Glasgow

Hamilton

Hardin

Kalispell

Libby

Phillipsburg

Polson

Superior

Thompson Falls

**North Dakota**

Kidder County

**Ohio**

MANSFIELD (SMSA)

McArthur

**Pennsylvania**

Clearfield-Du Bois

Honesdale

**South Carolina**

CHARLESTON-NORTH CHARLESTON (SMSA)

Chester

Walterboro

**Tennessee**

Fayetteville

Harriman-Rockwood

**Virginia**

Buena Vista

Lebanon

Norton-Big Stone Gap

**West Virginia**

Logan-Madison

**Wisconsin**

Hayward

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**Areas Added and Deleted from Second Quarter Listing—(Continued)**

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**Areas Deleted from List of Eligible Labor Surplus  
Areas Under Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A, July,  
August, September 1978**

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**Alabama**

Cullman

**California**

SAN FRANCISCO-OAKLAND (SMSA)

**Colorado**

Creede

**Connecticut**

NEW BRITAIN (SMSA)

**District of Columbia**

WASHINGTON (SMSA)

**Florida**

ORLANDO (SMSA)

TAMPA-ST. PETERSBURG (SMSA)

**Georgia**

Taliaferro County

Waycross

**Illinois**

Williamson County

**Indiana**

Bedford

Greencastle

**Maine**

Dover-Foxcroft

Rumford

**Maryland**

Cumberland

**Massachusetts**

Gardner

**Michigan**

BATTLE CREEK (SMSA)

Big Rapids

Coldwater

Jackson

**Minnesota**

Brainerd

DULUTH-SUPERIOR (SMSA)

Mora

**Nevada**

LAS VEGAS (SMSA)

**New Jersey**

NEW BRUNSWICK-PERTH AMBOY-

SAYREVILLE (SMSA)

**New Mexico**

Mountainair

**New York**

Corning-Hornell

Jamestown-Dunkirk

Norwich

SYRACUSE (SMSA)

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**North Carolina**

Oxford

**Ohio**

AKRON (SMSA)

CLEVELAND (SMSA)

Galion-Bucyrus

HAMILTON-MIDDLETOWN (SMSA)

**Oklahoma**

Atoka

**Oregon**

Albany

Astoria

Gold Beach

La Grande

The Dalles

**Pennsylvania**

Bradford

LANCASTER (SMSA)

Meadville

READING (SMSA)

**South Carolina**

Florence

**Texas**

Brooks County

**Virginia**

Emporia

**Washington**

Garfield County

SEATTLE-EVERETT (SMSA)

SPOKANE (SMSA)

**West Virginia**

Ravenwood

**Wisconsin**

Eagle River

Grantsburg

# Listing of Labor Surplus Areas Eligible Under DMP-4A and the Buy American Act, July 1—September 30, 1978

## ELIGIBLE LABOR SURPLUS AREAS

## POLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

### ALABAMA

ANNISTON SMSA.....	CALHOUN COUNTY
ATMORE.....	ESCAMBIA COUNTY
CAMDEN.....	WILCOX COUNTY
CARROLLTON.....	PICKENS COUNTY
CENTREVILLE.....	BIBB COUNTY
CHOCTAW COUNTY.....	CHOCTAW COUNTY
CLANTON.....	CHILTON COUNTY
DEMOPOLIS.....	MARENGO COUNTY
EUTAW.....	GREENE COUNTY
FLORENCE SMSA.....	COLBERT AND LAUDERDALE
	COUNTIES
FORT DEPOSIT.....	LOWNDES COUNTY
GADSDEN SMSA.....	ETOWAH COUNTY
GENEVA.....	GENEVA COUNTY
GREENSBORO.....	HALE COUNTY
HALEYVILLE.....	WINSTON COUNTY
JACKSON.....	CLARKE COUNTY
MARION.....	PERRY COUNTY
MOBILE SMSA.....	BALDWIN AND MOBILE
MOULTON.....	LAWRENCE COUNTY
OZARK.....	DALE COUNTY
ROANOKE.....	RANDOLPH COUNTY
RUSSELLVILLE.....	FRANKLIN COUNTY
SCOTTSBORO.....	JACKSON COUNTY
SELMA.....	DALLAS COUNTY
TALLADEGA.....	TALLADEGA COUNTY

### ALASKA

ANGOON DIVISION.....	ANGOON DIVISION
BARROW-NORTH SLOPE DIVISION.....	BARROW-NORTH SLOPE
	DIVISION
BETHEL DIVISION.....	BETHEL DIVISION
BRISTOL BAY BOROUGH DIVISION.....	BRISTOL BAY BOROUGH DIVISION
CORDOVA-MC CARTHY DIVISION.....	CORDOVA-MC CARTHY DIVISION
FAIRBANKS DIVISION.....	FAIRBANKS DIVISION
HAINES DIVISION.....	HAINES DIVISION
JUNEAU DIVISION.....	JUNEAU DIVISION
KENAI-COOK INLET DIVISION.....	KENAI-COOK INLET DIVISION
KETCHIKAN DIVISION.....	KETCHIKAN DIVISION
KOBUK DIVISION.....	KOBUK DIVISION
KODIAK DIVISION.....	KODIAK DIVISION
KUSKOKWIM DIVISION.....	KUSKOKWIM DIVISION
MATANUSKA-SUSITNA DIVISION.....	MATANUSKA-SUSITNA DIVISION



ELIGIBLE LABOR SURPLUS AREAS

POLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

NOME DIVISION.....	NOME DIVISION
OUTER KETCHIKAN DIVISION.....	OUTER KETCHIKAN DIVISION
PRINCE OF WALES DIVISION.....	PRINCE OF WALES DIVISION
SEWARD DIVISION.....	SEWARD DIVISION
SITKA DIVISION.....	SITKA DIVISION
SKAGWAY-YAKUTAT DIVISION.....	SKAGWAY-YAKUTAT DIVISION
SOUTHEAST FAIRBANKS DIVISION.....	SOUTHEAST FAIRBANKS DIVISION
UPPER YUKON DIVISION.....	UPPER YUKON DIVISION
VALDEZ-CHITINA-WHITTIER DIVISION...	VALDEZ-CHITINA-WHITTIER DIVISION
WADE HAMPTON DIVISION.....	WADE HAMPTON DIVISION
WRANGELL-PETERSBURG DIVISION.....	WRANGELL-PETERSBURG DIVISION
YUKON-KOYUKUKU DIVISION.....	YUKON-KOYUKUKU DIVISION

ARIZONA

DOUGLAS.....	COCHISE COUNTY
GLOBE.....	GILA COUNTY
KINGMAN.....	MOHAVE COUNTY
MC NARY.....	APACHE COUNTY
NOGALES.....	SANTA CRUZ COUNTY
PINAL COUNTY.....	PINAL COUNTY
SAFFORD.....	GRAHAM COUNTY
WINSLOW.....	NAVAJO COUNTY
YUMA.....	YUMA COUNTY

ARKANSAS

BLYTHEVILLE.....	MISSISSIPPI COUNTY
CHICOT COUNTY.....	CHICOT COUNTY
CLINTON.....	VAN BUREN COUNTY
CONWAY.....	FAULKNER COUNTY
DES ARC.....	PRAIRIE COUNTY
FORREST CITY.....	ST. FRANCIS COUNTY
FULTON COUNTY.....	FULTON COUNTY
HARDY.....	SHARP COUNTY
HEBER SPRINGS.....	CLEBURNE COUNTY
HELENA.....	PHILLIPS COUNTY
HUNTSVILLE.....	MADISON COUNTY
JASPER.....	NEWTON COUNTY
MARIANNA.....	LEE COUNTY
MARSHALL.....	SEARCY COUNTY
MENA.....	POLK COUNTY
MOUNTAIN VIEW.....	STONE COUNTY
OZARK.....	FRANKLIN COUNTY
PIGGOTT.....	CLAY COUNTY

## Listing of Labor Surplus Areas—(Continued)

## ELIGIBLE LABOR SURPLUS AREAS

## POLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

POCAHONTAS.....	RANDOLPH COUNTY
RISON.....	CLEVELAND COUNTY
RUSSELLVILLE.....	POPE AND YELL COUNTIES
SEARCY.....	WHITE COUNTY
WALDRON.....	SCOTT COUNTY
WALNUT RIDGE.....	LAWRENCE COUNTY

## CALIFORNIA

ALPINE COUNTY.....	ALPINE COUNTY
ANGELS CAMP.....	CALAVERAS COUNTY
BAKERSFIELD SMSA.....	KERN COUNTY
BISHOP.....	INYO AND MONO COUNTIES
CHICO-OROVILLE.....	BUTTE COUNTY
COLUSA COUNTY.....	COLUSA COUNTY
CRESCENT CITY.....	DEL NORTE COUNTY
EL CENTRO.....	IMPERIAL COUNTY
EUREKA.....	HUMBOLDT COUNTY
FRESNO SMSA.....	FRESNO COUNTY
GRASS VALLEY.....	NEVADA COUNTY
HANFORD.....	KING COUNTY
HOLLISTER.....	SAN BENITO COUNTY
JACKSON.....	AMADOR COUNTY
LAKEPORT.....	LAKE COUNTY
LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH SMSA.....	LOS ANGELES COUNTY
LOYALTON.....	SIERRA COUNTY
MADERA.....	MADERA COUNTY
MARIPOSA.....	MARIPOSA COUNTY
MERCED.....	MERCED COUNTY
MODESTO SMSA.....	STANISLAUS COUNTY
OXNARD-SIMI VALLEY-VENTURA SMSA.....	VENTURA COUNTY
PLACERVILLE.....	EL DORADO COUNTY
QUINCY.....	PLUMAS COUNTY
RED BLUFF.....	TEHAMA COUNTY
REDDING.....	SHASTA COUNTY
RIVERSIDE-SAN BERNADINO- ONTARIO SMSA.....	RIVERSIDE AND SAN BERNARDINO COUNTIES
SACRAMENTO SMSA.....	PLACER, SACRAMENTO, AND YOLO COUNTIES
SALINAS-SEASIDE-MONTEREY SMSA.....	MONTEREY COUNTY
SAN DIEGO SMSA.....	SAN DIEGO COUNTY
SANTA CRUZ SMSA.....	SANTA CRUZ COUNTY
SANTA ROSA SMSA.....	SONOMA COUNTY
SONORA.....	TUOLUMNE COUNTY
STOCKTON SMSA.....	SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY



ELIGIBLE LABOR SURPLUS AREAS

POLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

SUSANVILLE.....	LASSEN COUNTY
UKIAH.....	MENDOCINO COUNTY
VALLEJO-FAIRFIELD-NAPA SMSA.....	NAPA AND SOLANO COUNTIES
WEAVERVILLE.....	TRINITY COUNTY
WILLOWS.....	GLENN COUNTY
YREKA.....	SISKIYOU COUNTY
YUBA CITY.....	SUTTER AND YUBA COUNTIES

COLORADO

ANTONIO.....	CONEJOS COUNTY
BLANCA.....	COSTILLA COUNTY
CENTER.....	SAGUACHE COUNTY
DELTA.....	DELTA COUNTY
DOVE CREEK.....	DOLORES COUNTY
EAGLE.....	EAGLE COUNTY
GARFIELD COUNTY.....	GARFIELD COUNTY
LAKE COUNTY.....	LAKE COUNTY
MOFFAT COUNTY.....	MOFFAT COUNTY
OURAY COUNTY.....	OURAY COUNTY
PAGOSA SPRINGS.....	ARCHULETA COUNTY
PITKIN COUNTY.....	PITKIN COUNTY
PUEBLO SMSA.....	PUEBLO COUNTY
ROUTT COUNTY.....	ROUTT COUNTY
SUMMIT COUNTY.....	SUMMIT COUNTY
TELLURIDE.....	SAN MIGUEL COUNTY
TRINIDAD.....	LAS ANIMAS COUNTY
WALSENBURG.....	HUERFANO COUNTY

CONNECTICUT

ANSONIA.....	TOWNS OF ANSONIA, OXFORD, AND SEYMOUR
BRIDGEPORT SMSA.....	TOWNS OF BRIDGEPORT, DERBY, EASTON, FAIRFIELD, MILFORD, MONROE, SHELTON, STRATFORD, AND TRUMBULL
HARTFORD SMSA.....	TOWNS OF ANDOVER, AVON, BLOOMFIELD, BOLTON, CANTON, COLCHESTER, COLUMBIA, COVENTRY, EAST GRANBY, EAST HARTFORD, EAST WINDSOR, ELLINGTON, ENFIELD, FARMINGTON, GLASTONBURY, GRANBY, HARTFORD, HEBRON, MANCHESTER, MARLBOROUGH, NEWINGTON, ROCKY HILL, SIMS- BURY, SOMERS, SOUTH WINDSOR,

## Listing of Labor Surplus Areas—(Continued)

ELIGIBLE LABOR SURPLUS AREASPOLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

	STAFFORD, SUFFIELD, TOLLAND, VERNON, WEST HARTFORD, WETHERSFIELD, WILLINGTON, WINDSOR, AND WINDSOR LOCKS
NEW HAVEN-WEST HAVEN SMSA.....	TOWNS OF BETHANY, BRANFORD, CLINTON, EAST HAVEN, GUILFORD, HAMDEN, MADISON, NEW HAVEN, NORTH BRANFORD, NORTH HAVEN, ORANGE, WALLINGFORD, WEST HAVEN AND WOODBRIDGE
WATERBURY SMSA.....	TOWNS OF BEACON FALLS, BETHLEHEM, CHESIRE, MIDDLEBURY, NAUGATUCK, PROSPECT, SOUTHBURY, THOMASTON, WATERBURY, WATER- TOWN, WOLCOTT, AND WOODBURY
DELAWARE	
DOVER.....	KENT COUNTY
WILMINGTON SMSA.....	NEW CASTLE COUNTY IN DEL; CECIL COUNTY IN MD.; SALEM COUNTY IN N.J.
FLORIDA	
APALACHICOLA.....	FRANKLIN COUNTY
BRISTOL.....	LIBERTY COUNTY
BROOKSVILLE.....	HERNANDO COUNTY
CHIPLEY.....	WASHINGTON COUNTY
FORT LAUDERDALE-HOLLYWOOD SMSA....	BROWARD COUNTY
FORT PIERCE.....	ST. LUCIE COUNTY
FORT WALTON BEACH.....	OKALOOSA COUNTY
INVERNESS.....	CITRUS COUNTY
KEY WEST.....	MONROE COUNTY
LAFAYETTE COUNTY.....	LAFAYETTE COUNTY
LAKELAND-WINTER HAVEN SMSA.....	POLK COUNTY
LEESBURG.....	LAKE COUNTY
MELBOURNE-TITUSVILLE-COCOA SMSA....	BREVARD COUNTY
MIAMI SMSA.....	DADE COUNTY
MOORE HAVEN.....	GLADES COUNTY
NAPLES.....	COLLIER COUNTY
OCALA CITY.....	MARION COUNTY
OKEECHOBEE.....	OKEECHOBEE COUNTY
PALATKA.....	PUTNAM COUNTY
PANAMA CITY SMSA.....	BAY COUNTY
PORT ST. JOE.....	GULF COUNTY
SEBRING.....	HIGHLANDS COUNTY

ELIGIBLE LABOR SURPLUS AREAS

POLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

VERO BEACH.....INDIAN RIVER COUNTY  
WEST PALM BEACH-BOCA RATON SMSA....PALM BEACH COUNTY  
WILDWOOD.....SUMTER COUNTY

GEORGIA

ALBANY SMSA.....DOUGHERTY AND LEE COUNTIES  
ATLANTA SMSA.....BUTTS, CHEROKEE, CLAYTON,  
COBB, DE KALB, DOUGLAS,  
FAYETTE, FORSYTH, FULTON,  
GWINNETT, HENRY, NEWTON,  
PAULDING, ROCKDALE, AND  
WALTON COUNTIES  
AUGUSTA SMSA.....COLUMBIA AND RICHMOND COUNTIES  
IN GA.; AIKEN COUNTY IN S.C.  
BARROW COUNTY.....BARROW COUNTY  
BLACKSHEAR.....PIERCE COUNTY  
BURKE COUNTY.....BURKE COUNTY  
CAMILLA.....MITCHELL COUNTY  
CORDELE.....CRISP COUNTY  
DARIEN.....MC INTOSH COUNTY  
DAWSONVILLE.....DAWSON COUNTY  
JEFFERSON COUNTY.....JEFFERSON COUNTY  
MACON SMSA.....BIBB, HOUSTON, JONES,  
AND TWIGGS COUNTIES  
MANCHESTER.....MERIWETHER COUNTY  
NAHUNTA.....BRANTLEY COUNTY  
PEARSON.....ATKINSON COUNTY  
ROBERTA.....CRAWFORD COUNTY  
ROCHELLE.....WILCOX COUNTY  
STEWART COUNTY.....STEWART COUNTY

HAWAII

HILO.....HAWAII COUNTY

IDAHO

BONNERS FERRY.....BOUNDARY COUNTY  
CAMAS COUNTY.....CAMAS COUNTY  
COEUR D'ALENE.....KOOTENAI COUNTY  
COUNCIL.....ADAMS COUNTY  
DRIGGS.....TETON COUNTY  
EMMETT.....GEM COUNTY  
GRANGEVILLE.....IDAHO COUNTY  
HORSESHOE BEND.....BOISE COUNTY  
KETCHUM.....BLAINE COUNTY  
LEMHI COUNTY.....LEMHI COUNTY

## Listing of Labor Surplus Areas—(Continued)

ELIGIBLE LABOR SURPLUS AREASPOLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

MC CALL.....	VALLEY COUNTY
OROFINO.....	CLEARWATER COUNTY
SANDPOINT.....	BONNER COUNTY
ST. MARIES.....	BENEWAH COUNTY AND THE AVERY-CLARKIA DIVISION OF SHOSHONE COUNTY

## ILLINOIS

ANNA.....	UNION COUNTY
CAIRO.....	ALEXANDER AND PULASKI COUNTIES
CANTON.....	FULTON COUNTY
CARBONDALE-MURPHYSBORO.....	JACKSON COUNTY
CARMI.....	WHITE COUNTY
CENTRALIA.....	MARION COUNTY
DU QUOIN.....	PERRY COUNTY
FAIRFIELD.....	WAYNE COUNTY
FAYETTE COUNTY.....	FAYETTE COUNTY
FLORA.....	CLAY COUNTY
GOLCONDA.....	POPE COUNTY
GREENVILLE.....	BOND COUNTY
HARDIN.....	CALHOUN COUNTY
HARRISBURG-WEST FRANKFORT- HERRIN.....	FRANKLIN, JOHNSON, SALINE, AND WILLIAMSON COUNTIES
JERSEYVILLE.....	JERSEY COUNTY
KANKAKEE SMSA.....	KANKAKEE COUNTY
LITCHFIELD.....	MONTGOMERY COUNTY
MC LEANSBORO.....	HAMILTON COUNTY
METROPOLIS.....	MASSAC COUNTY
MOUNT VERNON.....	JEFFERSON COUNTY
OLNEY.....	RICHLAND COUNTY
ROSICLARE.....	HARDIN COUNTY
SHAWNEETOWN.....	GALLATIN COUNTY
SHELBYVILLE.....	SHELBY COUNTY
WARREN COUNTY.....	WARREN COUNTY

## INDIANA

GARY-HAMMOND-EAST CHICAGO SMSA.....	LAKE AND PORTER COUNTIES
LOOGOOTEE.....	MARTIN COUNTY
MADISON.....	JEFFERSON COUNTY
MARENGO.....	CRAWFORD COUNTY
PAOLI.....	ORANGE COUNTY
RISING SUN.....	OHIO COUNTY
ROCKVILLE.....	PARKE COUNTY

ELIGIBLE LABOR SURPLUS AREAS

POLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

SCOTTSBURG.....SCOTT COUNTY

IOWA

CENTERVILLE.....APPANOOSE COUNTY

KENTUCKY

BEATTYVILLE.....LEE COUNTY  
 BENTON.....MARSHALL COUNTY  
 BROWNSVILLE.....EDMONSON COUNTY  
 JENKINS.....LETCHER COUNTY  
 MC KEE.....JACKSON COUNTY  
 RUSSELL SPRINGS.....RUSSELL COUNTY  
 SALYERSVILLE.....MAGOFFIN COUNTY  
 STANFORD.....LINCOLN COUNTY  
 STANTON.....POWELL COUNTY

LOUISIANA

ALEXANDRIA SMSA.....AVOYELLES, GRANT, AND  
 RAPIDES PARISHES  
 BASTROP.....MOREHOUSE PARISH  
 BOGALUSA.....WASHINGTON PARISH  
 FERRIDAY.....CATAHOULA AND CONCORDIA  
 PARISHES  
 HAMMOND.....TANGIPAHOA PARISH  
 LAKE CHARLES SMSA.....CALCASIEU PARISH  
 LAKE PROVIDENCE.....EAST CARROLL PARISH  
 LEESVILLE.....VERNON PARISH  
 LUTCHER.....ST. JAMES PARISH  
 NEW ROADS.....POINTE COUPEE PARISH  
 OAKDALE.....ALLEN PARISH  
 OAK GROVE.....WEST CARROLL PARISH  
 OPELOUSAS.....ST. LANDRY PARISH  
 PLAQUEMINE.....IBERVILLE PARISH  
 RAYVILLE.....RICHLAND PARISH  
 ST. FRANCISVILLE.....WEST FELICIANA PARISH  
 TALLULAH.....MADISON PARISH  
 VILLE PLATTE.....EVANGELINE PARISH  
 WINNSBORO.....FRANKLIN PARISH

MAINE

AUGUSTA.....CITY OF AUGUSTA, TOWNS OF  
 CHELSEA, FARMINGDALE,  
 FAYETTE, GARDINER, HALLOWELL,  
 LITCHFIELD, MANCHESTER,  
 MONMOUTH, PITTSTON, RANDOLPH,  
 READFIELD, WAYNE, WEST

## Listing of Labor Surplus Areas—(Continued)

ELIGIBLE LABOR SURPLUS AREASPOLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

	GARDINER, WINDSOR, AND WINTHROP IN KENNEBEC COUNTY; TOWN OF RICHMOND IN SAGADAHOC COUNTY
BELFAST.....	WALDO COUNTY
BOOTHBAY-HARBOR.....	LINCOLN COUNTY EXCEPT TOWNS OF DRESDEN AND WALDOBORO
CALAIS-EASTPORT.....	WASHINGTON COUNTY
CARIBOU-PRESQUE ISLE.....	TOWNS OR PLANTATIONS OF ASHLAND, BLAINE, BRIDGEWATER, CARIBOU, CASTLE HILL, CASWELL, CHAPMAN, CONNOR, E PLANTATION, EASTON, FORT FAIRFIELD, GARFIELD, LIMESTONE, MAPLE- TON, MASARDIS, MARS HILL, NASHVILLE, NEW SWEDEN, OXBOW, PERHAM, PORTAGE LAKE, PRESQUE ISLE, STOCKHOLM, WADE, WASHBURN, WESTFIELD, WESTMAN- LAND, AND WOODLAND IN AROOSTOOK COUNTY
FORT KENT.....	TOWNS OF EAGLE LAKE, FORT KENT, FRENCHVILLE, ST. AGATHA; PLANTATIONS OF ALLAGASH, NEW CANADA, ST. JOHN, ST. FRANCIS, SINCLAIR, AND WALLAGRASS IN AROOSTOOK COUNTY
GREENVILLE.....	TOWNS OF ELLIOTSVILLE, GREENVILLE, LILY BAY, AND SHIRLEY; AND SOUTHERN UNORGANIZED TERRITORY IN PISCATAQUIS COUNTY
LINCOLN-HOWLAND.....	TOWNS OF BURLINGTON, CHESTER, ENFIELD, HOWLAND, LEE, LINCOLN, LOWELL, MATTAMISCONTIS, MATTAWAMKEAG, MAXFIELD, PASSADUMKEAG, SPRINGFIELD, WINN, AND WOODVILLE; TOWNSHIPS OF KINGMAN, WHITNEY, 1 N.D., 2R-8, 2R-9, AND 3R-1; AND PLANTATIONS OF CARROLL, DREW, GRAND FALLS, LAKEVILLE, PRENTISS, SEBOEIS, AND WEBSTER IN PENOBSCOT COUNTY
LIVERMORE FALLS.....	TOWNS OF GREEN, LEEDS, LIVER-



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	MORE, LIVERMORE FALLS, TURNER, AND WEBSTER IN ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY
MADAWASKA-VAN BUREN.....	TOWNS OF GRAND ISLE, MADAWASKA, AND VAN BUREN; AND PLANTA- TIONS OF CYR AND HAMLIN IN AROOSTOOK COUNTY
PORTLAND SMSA.....	CITIES OF PORTLAND, SOUTH PORTLAND, AND WESTBROOK, AND TOWNS OF CAPE ELIZABETH, CUMBERLAND, FALMOUTH, FREEPORT, GORHAM, SCARBOROUGH, YARMOUTH, AND WINDHAM IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY; AND OLD ORCHARD BEACH AND SACO IN YORK COUNTY
SKOWHEGAN.....	SOMERSET COUNTY
SOUTHWEST PENOBSCOT.....	TOWNS OF BRADFORD, CARMEL, CHARLESTON, CORRINA, CORINTH, DEXTER, DIXMONT, ETNA, EXETER, GARLAND, HUDSON, KENDUSKEAG, LEVANT, NEWBURG, NEWPORT, PLYMOUTH, AND STETSON IN PENOBSCOT COUNTY
MARYLAND	
BALTIMORE SMSA.....	ANNE ARUNDEL, BALTIMORE, CARROLL, HARFORD, AND HOWARD COUNTIES; AND BALTIMORE CITY
CAMBRIDGE.....	DORCHESTER COUNTY
CENTREVILLE.....	QUEEN ANNES COUNTY
CHESTERTOWN.....	KENT COUNTY
CRISFIELD.....	SOMERSET COUNTY
FEDERALSBURG.....	CAROLINE COUNTY
HAGERSTOWN.....	WASHINGTON COUNTY
OAKLAND.....	GARRETT COUNTY
POCOMOKE CITY.....	WORCESTER COUNTY
PRINCE FREDERICK.....	CALVERT COUNTY
SALISBURY.....	WICOMICO COUNTY
MASSACHUSETTS	
BARNSTABLE.....	BARNSTABLE COUNTY
BOSTON SMSA.....	SUFFOLK COUNTY; CITIES OF BEVERLY, LYNN, PEABODY, AND SALEM, AND TOWNS OF BOXFORD, DANVERS,

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BROCKTON SMSA.....

HAMILTON, LYNNFIELD, MANCHESTER, MARBLEHEAD, MIDDLETON, NAHANT, SAUGUS, SWAMPSCOTT, TOPSFIELD, AND WENHAM IN ESSEX COUNTY; CITIES OF CAMBRIDGE, EVERETT, MALDEN, MEDFORD, MELROSE, NEWTON, SOMERVILLE, WALTHAM, AND WOBURN, AND TOWNS OF ACTON, ARLINGTON, ASHLAND, BEDFORD, BELMONT, BOXBOROUGH, BURLINGTON, CARLISLE, CONCORD, FRAMINGHAM, HOLLISTON, LEXINGTON, LINCOLN, NATICK, NORTH READING, READING, SHERBORN, STONEHAM, SUDBURY, WAKEFIELD, WATERTOWN, WAYLAND, WESTON, WILMINGTON, AND WINCHESTER IN MIDDLESEX COUNTY; QUINCY CITY AND TOWNS OF BELLINGHAM, BRAINTREE, BROOKLINE, CANTON, COHASSET, DEDHAM, DOVER, FOXBOROUGH, FRANKLIN, HOLBROOK, MEDFIELD, MEDWAY, MILLIS, MILTON, NEEDHAM, NORFOLK, NORWOOD, RANDOLPH, SHARON, STOUGHTON, WALPOLE, WELLESLEY, WESTWOOD, WEYMOUTH, AND WRENTHAM IN NORFOLK COUNTY; TOWNS OF ABINGTON, DUXBURY, HANOVER, HANSON, HINGHAM, HULL, KINGSTON, MARSHFIELD, NORWELL, PEMBROKE, ROCKLAND, AND SCITUATE IN PLYMOUTH COUNTY

TOWN OF EASTON IN BRISTOL COUNTY; TOWN OF AVON IN NORFOLK COUNTY; CITY OF BROCKTON, TOWNS OF BRIDGEWATER, EAST BRIDGEWATER, HALIFAX, WEST BRIDGEWATER, AND WHITMAN IN



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POLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

CLINTON.....	PLYMOUTH COUNTY TOWNS OF CLINTON AND LANCASTER IN WORCESTER COUNTY
FALL RIVER SMSA.....	FALL RIVER CITY; AND TOWNS OF DIGHTON, SOMERSET, SWANSEA, AND WESTPORT IN BRISTOL COUNTY, MASS.; AND TOWNS OF LITTLE COMPTON AND TIVERTON IN NEWPORT COUNTY, R.I.
GLOUCESTER.....	GLOUCESTER CITY AND TOWNS OF ESSEX AND ROCKPORT IN ESSEX COUNTY
LAWRENCE-HAVERHILL SMSA.....	CITIES OF LAWRENCE AND HAVER- HILL AND TOWNS OF AMESBURY, ANDOVER, GEORGETOWN, GROVELAND, MERRIMAC, METHUEN, NORTH ANDOVER, SALISBURY, AND WEST NEWBURY IN ESSEX COUNTY IN MASS.; TOWNS OF ATKINSON, HAMPSTEAD, KINGSTON, NEWTON, PLAISTOW, SALEM, AND WINDHAM IN ROCKINGHAM COUNTY IN N.H.
LOWELL SMSA.....	LOWELL CITY AND TOWNS OF BILLERICA, CHELMSFORD, DRACUT, DUNSTABLE, TEWKSBURY, TYNGSBOROUGH, AND WESTFORD IN MIDDLESEX COUNTY
NEW BEDFORD SMSA.....	CITY OF NEW BEDFORD, AND TOWNS OF ACUSHNET, DARTMOUTH, FAIR- HAVEN, AND FREETOWN IN BRISTOL COUNTY; TOWNS OF LAKEVILLE, MARION, MATTAPOISETT, AND ROCHESTER IN PLYMOUTH COUNTY
NEWBURYPORT.....	NEWBURYPORT CITY AND TOWNS OF IPSWICH, NEWBURY, AND ROWLEY IN ESSEX COUNTY
PITTSFIELD SMSA.....	CITIES OF NORTH ADAMS AND PITTSFIELD; AND TOWNS OF ADAMS, BECKET, CHESHIRE, CLARKSBURG, DALTON, FLORIDA, HANCOCK, HINSDALE, LANES- BOROUGH, LEE, LENOX, NEW

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	ASHFORD, OTIS, PERU, RICHMOND, SAVOY, STOCKBRIDGE, TYRINGHAM, WASHINGTON, WEST STOCKBRIDGE, WILLIAMSTOWN, AND WINDSOR IN BERKSHIRE COUNTY
PLYMOUTH.....	TOWNS OF CARVER, MIDDLE- BOROUGH, PLYMOUTH, PLYMPTON, AND WAREHAM IN PLYMOUTH COUNTY
TAUNTON.....	TAUNTON CITY, AND TOWNS OF BERKLEY AND RAYNHAM IN BRISTOL COUNTY
TISBURY.....	DUKES COUNTY
WARE.....	TOWN OF WARE IN HAMPSHIRE COUNTY; TOWNS OF HARDWICK, NEW BRAINTREE, OAKHAM, AND WEST BROOKFIELD IN WORCESTER COUNTY

## MICHIGAN

ADRIAN.....	LENAWEE COUNTY
ALMA.....	GRATIOT COUNTY
ALPENA.....	ALPENA COUNTY
BAD AXE.....	HURON COUNTY
BALDWIN.....	LAKE COUNTY
BENTON HARBOR.....	BERRIEN COUNTY
BOYNE CITY.....	CHARLEVOIX COUNTY
CADILLAC.....	MISSAUKEE, OSCEOLA, AND WEXFORD COUNTIES
CARO.....	TUSCOLA COUNTY
CHEBOYGAN.....	CHEBOYGAN COUNTY
CLARE.....	CLARE COUNTY
DETROIT SMSA.....	LAPEER, LIVINGSTON, MACOMB, OAKLAND, ST. CLAIR, AND WAYNE COUNTIES
EAST TAWAS.....	ALCONA AND IOSCO COUNTIES
ELBERTA.....	BENZIE COUNTY
ESCANABA.....	DELTA COUNTY
FLINT SMSA.....	GENESEE AND SHIAWASSEE COUNTIES
FREMONT.....	NEWAYGO COUNTY
GAYLORD.....	OTSEGO COUNTY
GRAYLING.....	CRAWFORD COUNTY
GREENVILLE.....	MONTCALM COUNTY

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HANCOCK.....	HOUGHTON AND KEWEENAW COUNTIES
HILLMAN.....	MONTMORENCY COUNTY
IRON RIVER.....	IRON COUNTY
IRONWOOD.....	GOGEBIC COUNTY
L ANSE.....	BARAGA COUNTY
LANSING-EAST LANSING SMSA.....	CLINTON, EATON, INGHAM, AND IONIA COUNTIES
LUDINGTON.....	MASON COUNTY
MANCELONA.....	ANTRIM COUNTY
MANISTEE.....	MANISTEE COUNTY
MANISTIQUE.....	SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY
MARQUETTE.....	ALGER AND MARQUETTE COUNTIES
MIDLAND.....	GLADWIN AND MIDLAND COUNTIES
MIO.....	OSCODA COUNTY
MUSKEGON-NORTON SHORES- MUSKEGON HEIGHTS SMSA.....	MUSKEGON AND OCEANA COUNTIES
NEWBERRY.....	LUCE COUNTY
ONTONAGON.....	ONTONAGON COUNTY
PETOSKEY.....	EMMET COUNTY
ROGERS CITY.....	PRESQUE ISLE COUNTY
ROSCOMMON.....	ROSCOMMON COUNTY
ST. IGNACE.....	MACKINAC COUNTY
SANDUSKY.....	SANILAC COUNTY
SAULT STE. MARIE.....	CHIPPEWA COUNTY
STANDISH.....	ARENAC COUNTY
TRAVERSE CITY.....	GRAND TRAVERSE, KALKASKA, AND LEELANAU COUNTIES
WEST BRANCH.....	OGEMAW COUNTY
 MINNESOTA	
AITKIN.....	AITKIN COUNTY
BAGLEY.....	CLEARWATER COUNTY
DETROIT LAKES.....	BECKER COUNTY
GRAND RAPIDS.....	ITASCA COUNTY
HIBBING-VIRGINIA.....	ST. LOUIS COUNTY LESS DULUTH CITY
LITTLE FALLS.....	MORRISON COUNTY
MAHNOMEN.....	MAHNOMEN COUNTY
PARK RAPIDS.....	HUBBARD COUNTY
RED LAKE FALLS.....	RED LAKE COUNTY

ROSEAU.....ROSEAU COUNTY  
WARREN.....MARSHALL COUNTY

MISSISSIPPI

ASHLAND.....BENTON COUNTY  
BELZONI.....HUMPHREYS COUNTY  
BILOXI-GULFPORT SMSA.....HANCOCK, HARRISON, AND  
STONE COUNTIES  
CANTON.....MADISON COUNTY  
CHARLESTON.....TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY  
CLARKSDALE.....COAHOMA COUNTY  
CLEVELAND.....BOLIVAR COUNTY  
COLUMBIA.....MARION COUNTY  
CORINTH.....ALCORN COUNTY  
DE KALB.....KEMPER COUNTY  
FAYETTE.....JEFFERSON COUNTY  
GREENVILLE.....WASHINGTON COUNTY  
GREENWOOD.....LEFLORE COUNTY  
GRENADA.....GRENADA COUNTY  
HAZLEHURST.....COPIAH COUNTY  
HOLLY SPRINGS.....MARSHALL COUNTY  
INDIANOLA.....SUNFLOWER COUNTY  
KOSCIUSKO.....ATTALA COUNTY  
LEAKESVILLE.....GREENE COUNTY  
LEXINGTON.....HOLMES COUNTY  
LOUISVILLE.....WINSTON COUNTY  
LUCEDALE.....GEORGE COUNTY  
MACON.....NOXUBEE COUNTY  
MARKS.....QUITMAN COUNTY  
NATCHEZ.....ADAMS COUNTY  
PICAYUNE CITY.....PEARL RIVER COUNTY  
PRENTISS.....JEFFERSON DAVIS COUNTY  
ROLLING FORK.....ISSAQUENA AND SHARKEY COUNTIES  
SENATOBIA.....TATE COUNTY  
TUNICA.....TUNICA COUNTY  
VICKSBURG.....WARREN COUNTY  
WAYNESBORO.....WAYNE COUNTY  
WINONA.....MONTGOMERY COUNTY  
WOODVILLE.....WILKINSON COUNTY  
YAZOO.....YAZOO COUNTY

MISSOURI

ALTON.....OREGON COUNTY  
CALIFORNIA.....MONITEAU COUNTY  
CHARLESTON.....MISSISSIPPI COUNTY  
DONIPHAN.....RIPLEY COUNTY

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EMINENCE.....	SHANNON COUNTY
GREENVILLE.....	WAYNE COUNTY
POPLAR BLUFF.....	BUTLER COUNTY
POTOSI.....	WASHINGTON COUNTY
STEELVILLE.....	CRAWFORD COUNTY
VERSAILLES.....	MORGAN COUNTY
WARRENTON.....	WARREN COUNTY

MONTANA

ANACONDA.....	DEER LODGE COUNTY
BUTTE.....	SILVER BOW COUNTY
CUT BANK.....	GLACIER COUNTY
GLASGOW.....	VALLEY COUNTY
HAMILTON.....	RAVALLI COUNTY
HARDIN.....	BIG HORN COUNTY
KALISPELL.....	FLATHEAD COUNTY
LIBBY.....	LINCOLN COUNTY
PHILLIPSBURG.....	GRANITE COUNTY
POLSON.....	LAKE COUNTY
SUPERIOR.....	MINERAL COUNTY
THOMPSON FALLS.....	SANDERS COUNTY

NEBRASKA

PENDER.....	THURSTON COUNTY
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NEVADA

CARSON CITY.....	CARSON CITY AND STOREY COUNTY
YERINGTON.....	LYON COUNTY

NEW JERSEY

ATLANTIC CITY SMSA.....	ATLANTIC COUNTY
CAPE MAY-OCEAN CITY-WILDWOOD.....	CAPE MAY COUNTY
JERSEY CITY SMSA.....	HUDSON COUNTY
LAKESWOOD-TOMS RIVER.....	OCEAN COUNTY
LONG BRANCH-ASBURY PARK SMSA.....	MONMOUTH COUNTY
NEWARK SMSA.....	ESSEX, MORRIS, SOMERSET, AND UNION COUNTIES
NEWTON.....	SUSSEX COUNTY
PATERSON-CLIFTON-PASSAIC SMSA.....	PASSAIC COUNTY
TRENTON SMSA.....	MERCER COUNTY
VINELAND-BRIDGETON- MILLVILLE SMSA.....	CUMBERLAND COUNTY

NEW MEXICO

DEMING.....	LUNA COUNTY
ESPANOLA.....	RIO ARriba COUNTY

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LAS VEGAS.....	SAN MIGUEL COUNTY
SANTA ROSA.....	GUADALOUPE COUNTY
TAOS.....	TAOS COUNTY
WAGON MOUND.....	MORA COUNTY
NEW YORK	
AUBURN.....	CAYUGA COUNTY
BATAVIA.....	GENESEE COUNTY
BINGHAMTON SMSA.....	BROOME AND TIOGA COUNTIES IN N.Y.; AND SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY IN PA.
BUFFALO SMSA.....	ERIE AND NIAGARA COUNTIES
CATSKILL.....	GREENE COUNTY
COBLESKILL.....	SCHOHARIE COUNTY
CORTLAND.....	CORTLAND COUNTY
ELMIRA SMSA.....	CHEMUNG COUNTY
GLEN FALLS-HUDSON FALLS.....	WARREN AND WASHINGTON COUNTIES
GLOVERSVILLE.....	FULTON COUNTY
HUDSON.....	COLUMBIA COUNTY
KINGSTON.....	ULSTER COUNTY
LOWVILLE.....	LEWIS COUNTY
MALONE.....	FRANKLIN COUNTY
MONTICELLO.....	SULLIVAN COUNTY
NASSAU-SUFFOLK SMSA.....	NASSAU AND SUFFOLK COUNTIES
NEWBURGH-MIDDLETOWN.....	ORANGE COUNTY
NEW YORK SMSA.....	BRONX, KINGS, NEW YORK, PUTNAM, QUEENS, RICHMOND, ROCKLAND, AND WESTCHESTER COUNTIES
OGDENSBURG-MASSENA.....	ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY
OLEAN-SALAMANCA.....	CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
PENN YAN.....	YATES COUNTY
PERRY.....	WYOMING COUNTY
PLATTSBURG.....	CLINTON COUNTY
ROCHESTER SMSA.....	LIVINGSTON, MONROE, ONTARIO, ORLEANS, AND WAYNE COUNTIES
SPECULATOR.....	HAMILTON COUNTY
TICONDEROGA.....	ESSEX COUNTY
UTICA-ROME SMSA.....	HERKIMER AND ONEIDA COUNTIES
WATERTOWN.....	JEFFERSON COUNTY
WATKINS GLEN.....	SCHUYLER COUNTY
WELLSVILLE.....	ALLEGANY COUNTY



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NORTH CAROLINA

BRYSON CITY.....	SWAIN COUNTY
BURGAW.....	PENDER COUNTY
COLUMBIA.....	TYRRELL COUNTY
ELIZABETHTOWN.....	BLADEN COUNTY
LUMBERTON.....	ROBESON COUNTY
MURPHY.....	CHEROKEE COUNTY
RAEFORD.....	HOKE COUNTY
ROANOKE RAPIDS.....	HALIFAX AND NORTHAMPTON COUNTIES
ROBBINSVILLE.....	GRAHAM COUNTY
ROCKY MOUNT.....	EDGECOMBE AND NASH COUNTIES
SNOW HILL.....	GREENE COUNTY
SWAN QUARTER.....	HYDE COUNTY
WILMINGTON SMSA.....	BRUNSWICK AND NEW HANOVER COUNTIES
WINDSOR.....	BERTIE COUNTY

NORTH DAKOTA

KIDDER COUNTY.....	KIDDER COUNTY
MC HENRY COUNTY.....	MC HENRY COUNTY
ROLLA.....	ROLETTE COUNTY

OHIO

CALDWELL.....	NOBLE COUNTY
JACKSON.....	JACKSON COUNTY
LIMA SMSA.....	ALLEN, AUGLAIZE, PUTNAM, AND VAN WERT COUNTIES
LOGAN.....	HOCKING COUNTY
MANCHESTER.....	ADAMS COUNTY
MANSFIELD SMSA.....	RICHLAND COUNTY
MC ARTHUR.....	VINTON COUNTY
PORTSMOUTH.....	SCIOTO COUNTY
WAVERLY.....	PIKE COUNTY
YOUNGSTOWN-WARREN SMSA.....	MAHONING AND TRUMBULL COUNTIES

OKLAHOMA

ANTLERS.....	PUSHMATAHA COUNTY
COALGATE.....	COAL COUNTY
HOLDENVILLE.....	HUGHES COUNTY
MC ALESTER.....	PITTSBURG COUNTY
MC INTOSH COUNTY.....	MC INTOSH COUNTY
OKEMAH.....	OKFUSKEE COUNTY

### POLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

BEDFORD.....	BEDFORD COUNTY
BERWICK-BLOOMSBURG.....	COLUMBIA COUNTY
CLEARFIELD-DU BOIS.....	CLEARFIELD COUNTY; AND RUSH TOWNSHIP, AND PHILIPSBURG AND SOUTH PHILIPSBURG BOROS IN CENTRE COUNTY
EMPORIUM.....	CAMERON COUNTY
HONESDALE.....	PIKE AND WAYNE COUNTIES
HUNTINGDON.....	HUNTINGDON COUNTY
JOHNSTOWN SMSA.....	CAMBRIA AND SOMERSET COUNTIES
KITTANNING-FORD CITY.....	ARMSTRONG COUNTY
LEWISTOWN.....	JUNIATA AND MIFFLIN COUNTIES
LOCK HAVEN-RENOVO.....	CLINTON COUNTY
NORTHEAST PENNSYLVANIA SMSA.....	LACKAWANNA, LUZERNE, AND MONROE COUNTIES
PHILADELPHIA SMSA.....	BUCKS, CHESTER, DELAWARE, MONTGOMERY, AND PHILADELPHIA COUNTIES IN PA.; BURLINGTON, CAMDEN, AND GLOUCESTER COUNTIES IN N.J.
POTTSVILLE.....	SCHUYLKILL COUNTY
ST. MARYS.....	ELK COUNTY
SUNBURY-SHAMOKIN-MT. CARMEL.....	MONTOUR, NORTHUMBERLAND, SNYDER, AND UNION COUNTIES
TUNKHANNOCK.....	WYOMING COUNTY
UNIONTOWN-CONNELLVILLE.....	FAYETTE COUNTY



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WAYNESBURG.....GREENE COUNTY  
 WELLSBORO.....TIOGA COUNTY  
 WILLIAMSPORT SMSA.....LYCOMING COUNTY

PUERTO RICO

CAGUAS SMSA.....CAGUAS, GURABO, AND SAN  
 LORENZO MUNICIPIOS  
 MAYAGUEZ SMSA.....ANASCO, HORMIGUEROS, AND  
 MAYAGUEZ MUNICIPIOS  
 PONCE SMSA.....JUANA DIAZ, PENUELAS, PONCE,  
 AND VILLALBA MUNICIPIOS  
 SAN JUAN SMSA.....BAYAMON, CANOVANAS,  
 CAROLINA, CATANO, GUAYNABO,  
 LOIZA, SAN JUAN, TOA BAJA,  
 AND TRUJILLO ALTO MUNICIPIOS  
 REMAINDER OF PUERTO RICO.....PUERTO RICO LESS CAGUAS,  
 MAYAGUEZ, PONCE, AND SAN JUAN  
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 ON THE DERIVED RATE.  
 NO DATA ARE REGULARLY  
 ESTIMATED FOR SMALL  
 AREAS.

RHODE ISLAND

PROVIDENCE-WARWICK-

PAWTUCKET SMSA.....BRISTOL, KENT, AND  
 PROVIDENCE COUNTIES IN  
 R.I.; TOWNS OF EXETER,  
 NARRAGANSETT, NEW SHOREHAM,  
 NORTH KINGSTOWN, RICHMOND,  
 AND SOUTH KINGSTOWN IN  
 WASHINGTON COUNTY, R.I.;  
 TOWN OF JAMESTOWN IN  
 NEWPORT COUNTY, R.I.;  
 ATTLEBORO CITY AND TOWNS  
 OF NORTH ATTLEBORO, NORTON,  
 REHOBOTH, AND SEEKONK IN  
 BRISTON COUNTY, MASS.;  
 PLAINVILLE TOWN IN NORFOLK  
 COUNTY, MASS.; AND TOWNS  
 OF BLACKSTONE AND MILLVILLE  
 IN WORCESTER COUNTY, MASS.  
 WESTERLY.....TOWNS OF CHARLESTOWN,  
 HOPKINTON, AND WESTERLY  
 IN WASHINGTON COUNTY

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## SOUTH CAROLINA

ALLENDALE.....	ALLENDALE COUNTY
BARNWELL.....	BARNWELL COUNTY
BEAUFORT.....	BEAUFORT COUNTY
BENNETTSVILLE.....	MARLBORO COUNTY
BISHOPVILLE.....	LEE COUNTY
CHARLESTON-NORTH CHARLESTON SMSA...	BERKELEY, CHARLESTON, AND DORCHESTER COUNTIES
CHESTER.....	CHESTER COUNTY
DILLON.....	DILLON COUNTY
GEORGETOWN.....	GEORGETOWN COUNTY
MARION.....	MARION COUNTY
MC CORMICK.....	MC CORMICK COUNTY
ORANGEBURG.....	ORANGEBURG COUNTY
RIDGELAND.....	JASPER COUNTY
SUMTER.....	SUMTER COUNTY
UNION.....	UNION COUNTY
WALTERBORO.....	COLLETON COUNTY

## SOUTH DAKOTA

BUFFALO COUNTY.....	BUFFALO COUNTY
WASHABAUGH COUNTY.....	WASHABAUGH COUNTY
ZIEBACH COUNTY.....	ZIEBACH COUNTY

## TENNESSEE

ATHENS.....	MC MINN COUNTY
BROWNSVILLE.....	HAYWOOD COUNTY
CROSSVILLE.....	CUMBERLAND COUNTY
DECATUR.....	MEIGS COUNTY
DECATURVILLE.....	DECATUR COUNTY
DOVER.....	STEWART COUNTY
ERIN.....	HOUSTON COUNTY
FAYETTEVILLE.....	LINCOLN COUNTY
GAINESBORO.....	JACKSON COUNTY
HARRIMAN-ROCKWOOD.....	ROANE COUNTY
HUMBOLDT.....	GIBSON COUNTY
JAMESTOWN.....	FENTRESS COUNTY
LAFOLLETTE-JELICO.....	CAMPBELL COUNTY
LENOIR.....	LOUDON COUNTY
LEXINGTON.....	HENDERSON COUNTY
LIVINGSTON.....	OVERTON COUNTY
NEWPORT.....	COCKE COUNTY
ONEIDA.....	SCOTT COUNTY
RIPLEY.....	LAUDERDALE COUNTY

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POLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

RUTLEDGE.....GRANGIER COUNTY  
 SAVANNAH.....HARDIN COUNTY  
 SELMER.....MC NAIRY COUNTY  
 SEVIERVILLE.....SEVIER COUNTY  
 SNEEDVILLE.....HANCOCK COUNTY  
 SOMERVILLE.....FAYETTE COUNTY  
 SWEETWATER.....MONROE COUNTY  
 TIPTONVILLE.....LAKE COUNTY  
 TRACY CITY.....GRUNDY COUNTY  
 WAYNESBORO.....WAYNE COUNTY

TEXAS

BROWNSVILLE-HARLINGEN-

SAN BENITO SMSA.....CAMERON COUNTY  
 CARRIZO SPRINGS.....DIMMIT COUNTY  
 COTULLA.....LA SALLE COUNTY  
 CRYSTAL CITY.....ZAVALA COUNTY  
 DEL RIO.....VAL VERDE COUNTY  
 EAGLE PASS.....MAVERICK COUNTY  
 EL PASO SMSA.....EL PASO COUNTY  
 GALVESTON-TEXAS CITY SMSA.....GALVESTON COUNTY  
 LAREDO SMSA.....WEBB COUNTY  
 LOVING COUNTY.....LOVING COUNTY  
 MC ALLEN-PHARR-EDINBURGH SMSA.....HIDALGO COUNTY  
 RAYMONDSVILLE.....WILLACY COUNTY  
 RIO GRANDE CITY.....STARR COUNTY  
 SABINE COUNTY.....SABINE COUNTY  
 ZAPATA.....ZAPATA COUNTY

UTAH

HEBER CITY.....WASATCH COUNTY  
 MANTI.....SANPETE COUNTY  
 PANGUITCH.....GARFIELD COUNTY  
 PIUTE COUNTY.....PIUTE COUNTY

VERMONT

NEWPORT.....ORLEANS COUNTY; TOWNS OF  
 AVERILL, AVERYS GORE, BLOOM-  
 FIELD, BRIGHTON, BRUNSWICK,  
 CANAAN, FERDINAND, LEMINGTON,  
 LEWIS, NORTON, WARNERS GRANT,  
 AND WARRENS GORE IN ESSEX  
 COUNTY  
 ST. JOHNSBURY.....CALENDONIA COUNTY EXCEPT TOWNS

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OF GROTON AND RYEGATE; TOWNS  
OF CONCORD, EAST HAVEN, GRANBY,  
GUILDHALL, LUNENBURG, MAID-  
STONE AND VICTORY IN ESSEX  
COUNTY

## VIRGINIA

BUENA VISTA.....	BUENA VISTA AND LEXINGTON CITIES AND ROCKBRIDGE COUNTY
CHINCOTEAGUE.....	ACCOMACK AND NORTHAMPTON COUNTIES
COLONIAL BEACH.....	LANCASTER, NORTHUMBERLAND, RICHMOND, AND WESTMORELAND COUNTIES
KING AND QUEEN COUNTY.....	KING AND QUEEN COUNTY
LEBANON.....	DICKENSON AND RUSSELL COUNTIES
LUNENBURG COUNTY.....	LUNENBURG COUNTY
MARION.....	SMYTH COUNTY
NORTON-BIG STONE GAP.....	NORTON CITY AND WISE COUNTY
SURRY COUNTY.....	SURRY COUNTY
SUSSEX COUNTY.....	SUSSEX COUNTY

## WASHINGTON

ABERDEEN.....	GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY
ANACORTES.....	SKAGIT COUNTY
BELLINGHAM.....	WHATCOM COUNTY
CENTRALIA.....	LEWIS COUNTY
COLVILLE.....	STEVENS COUNTY
DAYTON.....	COLUMBIA COUNTY
ELLENSBURG.....	KITTITAS COUNTY
FRIDAY HARBOR.....	SAN JUAN COUNTY
GOLDENDALE.....	KLICKITAT COUNTY
LONGVIEW.....	COWLITZ COUNTY
MOSES LAKE.....	GRANT COUNTY
NEWPORT.....	PEND OREILLE COUNTY
OAK HARBOR.....	ISLAND COUNTY
OKANOGAN.....	OKANOGAN COUNTY
PORT ANGELES.....	CLALLAM COUNTY
PORT TOWNSEND.....	JEFFERSON COUNTY
RAYMOND.....	PACIFIC COUNTY
REPUBLIC.....	FERRY COUNTY
STEVENSON.....	SKAMANIA COUNTY

### ELIGIBLE LABOR SURPLUS AREAS

### POLITICAL JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED

TACOMA SMSA.....PIERCE COUNTY  
WENATCHEE.....CHELAN AND DOUGLAS COUNTIES  
YAKIMA SMSA.....YAKIMA COUNTY

## WEST VIRGINIA

CLAY.....	CLAY COUNTY
ELKINS.....	RANDOLPH COUNTY
GASSAWAY.....	BRAXTON COUNTY
GRAFTON.....	TAYLOR COUNTY
GRANTSVILLE.....	CALHOUN COUNTY
HAMLIN.....	LINCOLN COUNTY
HINTON.....	SUMMERS COUNTY
HUNTINGTON-ASHLAND SMSA.....	CABELL AND WAYNE COUNTIES IN W.VA.; BOYD AND GREENUP COUNTIES IN KY.; AND LAWRENCE COUNTY, OHIO
KINGWOOD.....	PRESTON COUNTY
LOGAN-MADISON.....	BOONE AND LOGAN COUNTIES
MARLINTON.....	POCAHONTAS COUNTY
OAK HILL-MONTGOMERY.....	FAYETTE COUNTY
PARSONS.....	TUCKER COUNTY
PENNSBORO.....	RITCHIE COUNTY
PETERSBURG.....	GRANT COUNTY
RICHWOOD.....	NICHOLAS COUNTY
RONCEVERTE-WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS.....	GREENBRIER AND MONROE COUNTIES
SPENCER.....	ROANE COUNTY
WEBSTER SPRINGS.....	WEBSTER COUNTY
WELCH.....	MC DOWELL COUNTY
WESTON.....	LEWIS COUNTY
WILLIAMSON.....	MINGO COUNTY

## WISCONSIN

ASHLAND.....	ASHLAND COUNTY
BAYFIELD.....	BAYFIELD COUNTY
CRANDON.....	FOREST COUNTY
FLORENCE.....	FLORENCE COUNTY
HAYWARD.....	SAWYER COUNTY
KENOSHA SMSA.....	KENOSHA COUNTY
LADYSMITH.....	RUSK COUNTY
NEOPIT.....	MENOMINEE COUNTY
SPOONER.....	WASHBURN COUNTY

## Labor Supply Classifications and Summary Labor Force Data for Major Labor Areas, First Quarter 1978

### Labor Supply Categories

Each quarter the Department of Labor classifies 150 major employment centers according to the adequacy of their labor supply. A letter classification code, shown below, is assigned to each of these 150 areas.

Labor Supply Category	Description	Unemployment Rate 1/
Group A	Excessive labor shortage	Less than 1.5%
Group B	Serious labor shortage	1.5 to 2.9%
Group C	Moderate labor shortage	3.0 to 5.9%
Group D	Moderate labor surplus	6.0 to 8.9%
Group E	Serious labor surplus	9.0 to 11.9%
Group F	Excessive labor surplus	12.0 or more

1 Ratio of unemployment to area's total labor force.

The categories used in classifying major labor areas according to the adequacy of labor supply represent a continuation of a system which has been in operation for over 25 years. Although modifications have been made in the system from time to time, the present labor supply categories as indicated above are basically changed since May 1955.

Unlike the area eligibility classifications under DMP-4A and the Buy American Act, no attempt is made to classify every labor area in the country according to adequacy of labor supply. The labor supply classifications are provided for only 150 of the major metropolitan areas and are to be used for analytical purposes only rather than for determining eligibility for preference under DMP-4A and the Buy American Act.

### Background

Although the system for classifying major labor areas on the basis of labor supply has been in operation for many years, the procedures used in making the labor supply classifications were changed as a result of DMP-4A. Under the new system, the classifications are now done on a quarterly basis rather than monthly as was done prior to the implementation of DMP-4A. However, the labor supply classifications continue to reflect the relative severity of unemployment as a percent of the area's labor force.

As a result of the change to quarterly labor supply classifications, such classifications are now based upon the average of the area's labor force data for the 3 months comprising the most recent quarter of the reference period. This may be contrasted with the previous system under which the monthly labor supply classifications were based on the area's current monthly labor force data as well as the anticipated employment and unemployment outlook over the next two months. The previous system also took account of temporary and seasonal changes in the labor force data in making the labor supply classifications. Under the new system, no attempt is made to analyze the factors responsible for an area's unemployment situation. Thus, the assignment of an area to a specific labor supply category reflects only the severity of the quarterly average unemployment.



Because of the changes introduced with this issue of Area Trends in classifying areas on the basis of labor supply, it may not be possible to compare the new labor supply classifications with historical data which have been published over the past several years. However, to assist in making comparisons with previous years, the monthly classifications for such years will be converted to quarterly labor supply classifications and made available upon request.

The labor supply classifications provided in this issue cover the first quarter of 1978. These classifications are based upon the average labor force data for the months of January, February, and March, 1978. Following is a comparison of the labor supply classifications for the first quarter of 1978 and each of the quarters of 1977.

Labor Supply Group	First Quarter 1978	Fourth Quarter 1977	Third Quarter 1977	Second Quarter 1977	First Quarter 1977
Total, All Groups	150	150	150	150	150
Group A	0	0	0	0	0
Group B	0	0	0	0	0
Group C	56	71	71	56	22
Group D	79	68	68	74	78
Group E	10	9	9	16	39
Group F	5	2	2	4	11

The first quarter labor supply classifications plus labor force data for each of the 150 major labor areas is provided in the table following this section.

### Labor Market Areas

A "labor market area" means a geographic area in which there is a concentration of economic activity of labor demand and in which workers can readily change jobs without changing their place of residence. Labor areas usually include one or more entire counties, except in New England where towns are considered the major geographical units.

The largest labor market areas are referred to as major labor areas. Major labor areas usually have at least one central city with a population of 50,000 or more. In most instances boundaries of major labor areas coincide with those of Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas as determined by the Office of Management and Budget in consultation with a Federal interagency committee.

Geographical boundaries of all classified areas are listed in the Employment and Training Administration publication entitled Directory of Important Labor Areas. Revisions in labor area boundaries are listed in the Area Trends.

# Quarterly Labor Supply Classifications and Summary Labor Force Data for Major Labor Areas, and 1977 First Quarter 1978

(Quarterly Averages in Thousands)

		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
ALABAMA						
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ANNISTON	D	43.4	43.0	42.5	42.7	41.1
* BIRMINGHAM	C	361.6	359.4	365.0	360.9	351.1
FLORENCE	D	52.6	52.2	52.6	52.7	50.1
GADSDEN	D	38.8	38.8	39.2	38.5	36.9
HUNTSVILLE	D	126.6	126.7	128.7	128.6	123.6
* MOBILE	D	175.0	174.3	176.1	175.5	165.5
MONTGOMERY	C	109.2	108.6	109.5	107.4	101.2
TUSCALOOSA	D	53.4	52.7	52.3	53.1	51.0
ALASKA						
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ANCHORAGE	D	88.3	87.2	88.6	84.7	77.4
ARIZONA						
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* PHOENIX	C	583.8	586.9	571.5	575.0	567.4
TUCSON	D	182.8	184.4	182.5	184.5	183.0
ARKANSAS						
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FAYETTEVILLE-SPRINGDALE	C	69.8	69.7	68.8	68.0	66.5
FORT SMITH	D	81.3	80.5	81.4	81.4	77.4
* LITTLE ROCK-NORTH LITTLE	C	177.6	177.9	178.6	175.6	168.4
PINE BLUFF	D	36.0	35.6	35.7	35.3	33.6

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## Unemployment

1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I
3.4	3.3	4.0	3.8	4.1
20.2	22.7	24.5	24.0	26.9
3.9	3.7	4.0	4.4	5.4
2.9	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.9
8.2	8.4	10.0	9.8	10.3
12.5	13.1	14.6	14.1	13.8
5.1	5.8	6.6	6.4	5.9
4.2	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.3
7.1	5.5	4.7	5.7	6.0
33.7	36.0	41.4	46.0	48.6
11.4	13.1	15.2	13.8	14.7
4.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	4.2
5.8	5.3	5.0	5.2	5.9
9.0	7.8	7.8	7.8	9.5
2.7	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.3

## Unemployment Rate

1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I
7.8	7.7	9.3	8.9	10.0
5.6	6.3	6.7	6.7	7.7
7.4	7.0	7.7	8.3	10.7
7.4	7.9	8.4	8.8	10.6
6.4	6.7	7.8	7.6	8.3
7.1	7.5	8.3	8.1	8.3
4.7	5.3	6.1	5.9	5.8
7.8	7.1	7.3	6.9	6.6
8.1	6.4	5.3	6.8	7.7
5.8	6.1	7.3	8.0	8.6
6.2	7.1	8.3	7.5	8.0
5.9	4.5	4.4	4.5	6.3
7.2	6.6	6.1	6.4	7.7
5.0	4.4	4.4	4.4	5.7
7.6	5.0	5.6	6.3	6.7

**Summary Labor Force Data—(Continued)**  
**(Quarterly Averages in Thousands)**

		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
CALIFORNIA						
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* ANAHEIM-SANTA ANA GARDEN	C	972.1	946.4	922.5	908.1	884.0
BAKERSFIELD	E	164.7	168.7	169.4	166.2	158.0
* FRESNO	E	246.7	248.3	268.8	240.0	229.3
* LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH	D	3376.3	3396.7	3374.0	3317.0	3326.7
MODESTO	F	128.7	125.7	133.2	127.5	122.6
OXNARD-SIMI VALLEY-VENTUR	D	203.1	196.4	196.8	196.2	189.8
* RIVERSIDE-SAN BERNARDINO-	D	536.4	518.3	508.0	507.2	508.8
SACRAMENTO	D	440.3	429.7	430.1	419.6	411.1
SALINAS-SEASIDE-MONTEREY	E	121.0	121.9	124.9	122.1	112.9
* SAN DIEGO	D	664.1	660.1	651.1	637.1	628.7
* SAN FRANCISCO-OAKLAND	D	1554.6	1531.3	1523.5	1498.7	1504.6
* SAN JOSE	D	643.8	625.0	615.9	604.5	598.0
SANTA BARBARA-SANTA MARIA	D	134.9	130.8	132.1	131.7	130.8
SANTA CRUZ	F	80.6	78.1	79.8	79.2	76.6
SANTA ROSA	E	116.0	113.6	113.6	110.9	110.5
* STOCKTON	F	152.7	155.0	160.5	156.1	145.0
VALLEJO-FAIRFIELD-NAPA	D	118.3	117.0	117.8	116.1	113.6
COLORADO						
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COLORADO SPRINGS	D	110.2	112.1	114.6	111.2	105.7
* DENVER-BOULDER	C	733.6	738.4	734.0	735.9	719.0
FORT COLLINS	C	63.8	65.2	65.5	64.7	59.9
GREELEY	C	53.9	56.5	58.7	58.3	54.0
PUEBLO	E	51.0	51.5	51.9	50.7	48.7

## Unemployment

## Unemployment Rate

Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
51.8	49.5	55.4	55.7	57.1	5.3	5.2	6.0	6.1	6.5
16.2	14.8	13.5	14.3	15.8	9.9	8.8	8.0	8.6	10.0
27.6	22.4	19.7	22.5	25.4	11.2	9.0	7.3	9.4	11.1
263.0	249.3	280.7	250.3	288.3	7.8	7.3	8.3	7.5	8.7
19.3	14.5	13.9	22.3	21.6	15.0	11.5	10.5	17.5	17.6
17.5	15.9	17.2	14.4	15.1	8.6	8.1	8.7	7.3	8.0
37.9	38.9	44.7	42.4	45.7	7.1	7.5	8.8	8.4	9.0
38.5	33.1	35.2	39.5	41.0	8.7	7.7	8.2	9.4	10.0
14.0	9.4	8.5	9.3	12.6	11.5	7.7	6.8	7.6	11.2
49.5	49.0	56.2	59.0	61.2	7.4	7.4	8.6	9.3	9.7
98.2	98.6	113.7	116.5	124.1	6.3	6.4	7.5	7.8	8.2
42.3	37.2	39.0	45.4	45.6	6.6	5.9	6.3	7.5	7.6
9.8	8.2	9.7	9.5	11.1	7.3	6.3	7.4	7.2	8.5
10.0	6.9	7.0	7.5	10.2	12.4	8.8	8.8	9.5	13.3
10.5	9.1	10.7	11.6	12.6	9.1	8.0	9.4	10.5	11.4
21.0	16.5	13.9	17.6	19.7	13.8	10.6	8.6	11.3	13.6
8.8	8.5	8.8	10.2	10.3	7.5	7.3	7.5	8.8	9.1
8.0	7.5	7.8	8.0	8.5	7.3	6.7	6.8	7.2	8.0
40.6	39.8	43.1	45.5	46.3	5.5	5.4	5.9	6.2	6.4
3.2	2.7	2.7	3.1	3.3	5.0	4.1	4.1	4.7	5.5
2.7	2.5	2.5	2.8	3.0	5.0	4.4	4.2	4.8	5.6
5.2	5.4	4.5	4.1	4.6	10.2	10.5	8.8	8.1	9.4

Summary Labor Force Data—(Continued)  
(Quarterly Averages in Thousands)

		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
CONNECTICUT						
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* BRIDGEPORT	D	185.8	184.3	184.0	186.1	182.4
BRISTOL	C	35.6	34.6	34.6	34.8	32.8
DANBURY	D	78.3	76.0	77.0	75.7	74.3
* HARTFORD	C	361.3	357.4	361.8	361.0	348.5
MERIDEN	D	25.0	26.0	26.6	26.1	25.7
* NEW BRITAIN	D	71.4	71.1	71.8	72.0	70.8
* NEW HAVEN-WEST HAVEN	D	192.7	196.9	199.6	200.3	196.4
NEW LONDON-NORWICH	D	103.7	103.1	106.9	105.3	101.9
NORWALK	C	68.2	67.5	68.7	66.2	62.5
* STAMFORD	C	116.0	111.4	112.5	110.4	108.0
* WATERBURY	D	107.7	105.6	108.9	108.4	106.1
DELAWARE						
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* WILMINGTON	D	229.7	240.6	238.0	238.1	231.6
DISTRICT OF COLUMB						
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* WASHINGTON	C	1511.6	1551.7	1561.3	1549.4	1505.5
FLORIDA						
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BRADENTON	C	48.3	47.9	46.2	47.4	47.0
DAYTONA BEACH	D	87.1	86.4	87.9	84.3	82.2
FORT LAUDERDALE-HOLLYWOOD	D	367.4	362.3	352.8	344.6	351.7
FORT MYERS	C	68.3	66.8	62.3	61.4	63.2
GAINESVILLE	C	65.5	65.8	63.8	62.0	61.1
* JACKSONVILLE	D	296.8	304.2	299.3	286.6	279.7
LAKELAND-WINTER HAVEN	D	125.2	123.1	114.5	115.6	114.5
MELBOURNE-TITUSVILLE COCO	D	95.4	97.5	96.8	90.3	88.2
* MIAMI	D	692.2	702.3	694.3	667.1	663.1
ORLANDO	D	278.9	282.2	278.8	270.2	265.3
PANAMA CITY	E	37.7	38.1	38.3	36.8	34.8
PENSACOLA	C	107.5	110.0	109.5	103.1	100.8

Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
12.3	11.1	12.8	14.3	16.7	6.6	6.0	7.0	7.7	9.2
2.1	1.7	2.3	2.6	3.3	5.8	4.8	6.5	7.4	10.2
4.9	4.0	4.8	5.3	6.2	6.2	5.3	6.2	7.1	8.3
20.2	17.7	23.0	25.0	28.5	5.6	4.9	6.4	6.9	8.2
1.6	1.6	2.1	2.2	2.5	6.5	6.0	7.8	8.4	9.8
4.9	3.9	5.1	6.0	6.9	6.9	5.5	7.1	8.3	9.7
11.7	12.4	15.2	17.0	19.7	6.1	6.3	7.6	8.5	10.0
8.4	6.3	6.0	6.4	7.2	8.1	6.1	5.6	6.1	7.1
3.2	2.8	3.5	3.6	4.4	4.8	4.1	5.1	5.5	7.0
5.3	4.4	5.3	6.0	6.9	4.6	3.9	4.7	5.4	6.4
8.0	6.7	8.4	9.0	10.4	7.5	6.3	7.7	8.3	9.8
18.5	17.5	19.0	19.5	25.0	8.0	7.3	8.0	8.2	10.8
76.5	72.1	81.4	83.3	83.7	5.1	4.6	5.2	5.4	5.6
2.8	3.0	3.1	3.3	4.1	5.8	6.3	6.6	7.0	8.7
5.8	5.9	5.3	6.4	7.7	6.6	6.9	6.0	7.6	9.4
26.4	29.4	28.6	33.2	38.6	7.2	8.1	8.1	9.6	11.0
3.8	3.7	3.3	4.4	6.4	5.5	5.5	5.3	7.1	10.1
3.3	3.4	3.3	3.6	3.6	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.8	5.9
17.8	18.6	18.1	20.3	20.5	6.0	6.1	6.1	7.1	7.3
9.2	12.8	14.3	11.8	10.0	7.3	10.4	12.5	10.2	8.7
7.9	8.6	8.0	8.5	9.4	8.3	8.9	8.2	9.4	10.7
48.6	56.8	56.5	62.7	66.4	7.0	8.1	8.1	9.4	10.0
17.5	20.2	20.8	23.0	24.4	6.3	7.2	7.4	8.5	9.2
3.8	4.0	3.2	3.6	3.6	10.1	10.6	8.3	9.8	10.3
5.6	6.1	5.5	6.0	6.3	5.2	5.5	5.0	5.8	6.3

**Summary Labor Force Data—(Continued)**  
**(Quarterly Averages in Thousands)**

State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	Civilian Labor Force				
		1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
SARASOTA	C	59.9	59.0	57.7	56.6	56.8
TALLAHASSEE	C	72.6	73.7	71.9	69.8	67.3
* TAMPA-ST. PETERBURG	D	555.7	560.8	547.8	534.4	529.9
WEST PALM BEACH-BOCA RATO	D	208.8	203.4	189.8	187.3	196.2
GEORGIA						
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ALBANY	D	45.1	45.4	46.2	45.3	44.0
* ATLANTA	C	861.9	870.8	869.9	873.9	854.1
* AUGUSTA	D	120.9	123.8	122.8	119.5	115.7
* COLUMBUS	D	86.1	87.4	88.0	85.6	81.2
* MACON	D	103.4	106.2	105.3	104.5	101.6
* SAVANNAH	D	86.4	89.0	87.8	88.1	84.4
HAWAII						
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* HONOLULU	D	314.6	318.0	321.6	323.0	316.9
IDAHO						
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BOISE CITY	C	81.8	78.9	80.0	77.7	74.1
ILLINOIS						
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BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL	C	61.0	60.3	58.4	58.8	57.2
CHAMPAIGN-URBANA-RANTOUL	D	74.3	75.3	72.3	73.8	73.3
* CHICAGO	D	3334.3	3331.0	3357.4	3291.1	3244.2
* DAVENPORT-ROCK ISLAND-MOL	D	177.7	173.4	174.2	173.9	171.3
DECATUR	D	60.6	60.8	60.0	60.0	59.7
KANKAKEE	D	40.5	41.2	41.4	40.8	39.8
* PEORIA	D	171.9	171.5	171.3	168.1	164.7
* ROCKFORD	D	132.6	131.2	130.7	129.6	126.8
SPRINGFIELD	D	96.1	101.2	101.6	96.8	94.7



Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
3.1	3.4	3.1	3.7	4.5	5.1	5.7	5.4	6.5	7.9
3.4	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.4	4.7	4.8	4.7	5.0	5.0
34.6	38.2	40.2	47.0	50.4	6.2	6.8	7.3	8.8	9.5
13.8	15.8	16.5	17.6	21.0	6.6	7.8	8.7	9.4	10.7
3.1	3.5	3.9	3.7	3.4	6.9	7.7	8.5	8.1	7.7
49.9	58.2	64.3	66.3	63.9	5.8	6.7	7.4	7.6	7.5
8.1	8.7	9.7	9.3	9.0	6.7	7.0	7.9	7.8	7.8
5.4	6.0	6.8	6.6	5.5	6.2	6.9	7.7	7.7	6.8
8.1	10.1	8.8	8.6	8.2	7.8	9.5	8.4	8.3	8.0
5.2	6.4	6.9	6.9	5.7	6.0	7.2	7.8	7.8	6.7
19.2	22.8	22.3	22.6	25.1	6.1	7.2	6.9	7.0	7.9
3.1	2.5	2.6	2.9	3.9	3.8	3.1	3.2	3.7	5.3
3.6	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.7	5.9	3.5	4.2	4.0	4.7
4.5	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.7	6.0	4.2	4.5	4.4	5.1
219.7	193.1	205.4	190.4	199.3	6.6	5.8	6.1	5.8	6.1
11.3	8.0	8.7	8.2	9.2	6.4	4.6	5.0	4.7	5.4
5.0	4.0	4.1	4.0	5.0	8.3	6.5	6.9	6.7	8.3
3.6	3.0	3.3	3.3	3.6	8.9	7.3	7.8	8.1	9.1
10.8	8.8	9.4	8.6	9.5	6.3	5.1	5.5	5.1	5.8
8.3	8.7	9.2	7.5	8.4	6.3	6.6	7.1	5.8	6.6
6.7	5.1	5.2	4.8	5.9	7.0	5.0	5.1	5.0	6.2

**Summary Labor Force Data—(Continued)**  
**(Quarterly Averages in Thousands)**

		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
INDIANA						
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ANDERSON	D	60.8	60.7	60.1	59.7	58.9
BLOOMINGTON	D	41.3	40.5	38.4	38.2	38.8
* EVANSVILLE	C	134.1	134.1	135.1	133.9	132.2
* FORT WAYNE	C	177.3	176.4	177.7	177.3	174.7
* GARY-HAMMOND-EAST CHICAGO	D	280.8	281.6	285.8	281.3	275.1
* INDIANAPOLIS	C	556.1	554.4	551.5	550.8	541.8
KOKOMO	D	51.0	50.4	50.2	49.3	48.0
LAFAYETTE-WEST LAFAYETTE	C	60.2	60.2	56.9	57.3	58.1
MUNCIE	D	56.6	56.0	54.3	55.6	54.6
* SOUTH BEND	C	133.7	132.3	131.1	132.3	131.7
* TERRE HAUTE	D	78.8	77.2	75.4	75.1	75.2
IOWA						
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* CEDAR RAPIDS	C	82.9	83.6	82.9	83.5	80.7
* DES MOINES	C	172.8	172.1	171.5	172.4	169.7
DUBUQUE	C	44.2	44.3	44.6	44.5	42.7
SIOUX CITY	C	58.7	59.1	58.8	59.1	56.3
WATERLOO-CEDAR FALLS	C	64.7	66.2	65.3	65.5	63.8
KANSAS						
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LAWRENCE	C	32.1	32.5	30.8	30.9	30.4
TOPEKA	C	93.6	94.8	94.8	93.0	90.1
* WICHITA	C	204.3	208.9	211.2	207.0	202.2
KENTUCKY						
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LEXINGTON-FAYETTE	C	150.7	159.4	155.3	155.7	148.3
* LOUISVILLE	C	397.1	404.9	400.6	394.4	387.3
OWENSBORO	C	36.2	38.4	37.5	36.9	35.3

## Unemployment

## Unemployment Rate

1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
3.7	2.9	3.3	3.3	3.7	6.0	4.8	5.5	5.6	6.3
3.0	2.0	2.2	2.6	3.8	7.2	4.9	5.7	6.8	9.9
7.0	5.9	6.6	6.0	8.1	5.2	4.4	4.9	4.5	6.1
9.0	7.6	8.0	8.2	11.1	5.1	4.3	4.5	4.6	6.3
17.5	16.6	17.0	17.1	22.5	6.2	5.9	5.9	6.1	8.2
31.5	27.5	29.0	32.0	36.1	5.7	5.0	5.3	5.8	6.7
3.5	2.6	2.6	2.3	2.5	6.9	5.2	5.2	4.7	5.3
2.9	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.9	4.8	3.7	4.1	4.1	5.0
3.9	3.0	2.7	2.8	4.5	6.9	5.3	5.0	5.0	8.2
7.4	6.4	6.0	7.0	9.0	5.5	4.9	4.6	5.3	6.9
6.0	4.0	3.6	4.2	5.8	7.6	5.2	4.8	5.6	7.7
3.2	2.5	3.1	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.0	3.7	4.2	4.6
7.7	5.9	7.0	7.2	8.2	4.5	3.4	4.1	4.2	4.8
2.6	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.7	5.9	4.5	5.2	5.3	6.3
3.5	2.7	2.5	2.7	3.1	5.9	4.6	4.2	4.5	5.5
3.2	2.4	2.8	3.0	3.4	4.9	3.7	4.3	4.6	5.3
1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.3	3.8	3.6	3.9	3.7	4.2
4.1	4.1	3.9	3.5	4.1	4.4	4.3	4.1	3.8	4.6
8.0	9.2	10.3	10.0	10.9	3.9	4.4	4.9	4.8	5.4
5.5	5.0	4.8	4.2	5.1	3.6	3.2	3.1	2.7	3.4
21.5	19.8	19.1	19.0	25.6	5.4	4.9	4.8	4.8	6.6
1.9	1.6	1.6	1.7	2.2	5.3	4.1	4.4	4.5	6.2

**Summary Labor Force Data—(Continued)**  
**(Quarterly Averages in Thousands)**

		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
LOUISIANA						
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ALEXANDRIA	E	67.9	66.5	67.7	67.3	67.6
* BATON ROUGE	D	206.2	197.8	195.8	198.9	199.0
LAFAYETTE	C	62.7	59.8	60.7	60.0	59.4
LAKE CHARLES	E	66.5	64.5	66.2	65.0	65.9
MONROE	D	53.6	50.7	51.4	51.9	52.8
* NEW ORLEANS	D	474.8	457.0	462.6	459.3	463.1
* SHREVEPORT	D	151.5	144.6	147.3	146.2	147.3
MAINE						
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LEWISTOWN-AUBURN	D	36.4	37.1	36.6	36.6	36.1
* PORTLAND	C	82.3	84.8	83.1	83.6	81.7
MARYLAND						
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* BALTIMORE	D	1014.5	978.3	968.6	966.6	953.8
MASSACHUSETTS						
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* BOSTON	D	1351.2	1347.6	1350.6	1337.5	1318.3
* BROCKTON	D	78.4	79.0	79.1	77.7	76.3
* FALL RIVER	D	76.6	76.6	77.1	75.2	73.8
FITCHBURG-LEOMINSTER	D	48.3	47.5	47.7	47.8	47.7
* LAWRENCE-HAVERHILL	D	136.5	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
* LOWELL	D	111.6	109.7	109.3	107.6	105.7
* NEW BEDFORD	E	82.4	82.2	83.8	82.2	80.8
PITTSFIELD	D	69.3	68.8	71.0	69.5	69.1
* SPRINGFIELD-CHICOPEE-HOLY	C	276.5	273.7	274.2	271.7	266.4
* WORCESTER	C	196.9	195.6	194.3	192.8	190.9

Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
6.3	4.9	5.5	5.8	6.3	9.3	7.4	8.1	8.6	9.3
14.4	13.3	15.2	13.6	12.5	7.0	6.7	7.8	6.9	6.3
3.4	2.4	2.7	2.6	2.7	5.3	3.9	4.4	4.4	4.5
7.0	4.6	5.2	5.3	5.4	10.6	7.1	7.8	8.2	8.2
4.1	3.2	3.7	4.1	4.2	7.6	6.4	7.2	7.9	7.9
33.2	31.6	36.1	35.4	36.0	7.0	6.9	7.8	7.7	7.8
10.0	8.2	9.1	8.7	9.5	6.6	5.7	6.1	6.0	6.4
2.3	2.5	3.4	2.6	3.0	6.3	6.9	9.2	7.0	8.2
4.8	5.6	5.5	6.3	7.5	5.8	6.6	6.6	7.5	9.2
76.8	60.4	59.3	59.6	78.3	7.6	6.2	6.1	6.2	8.2
88.4	85.0	116.3	101.6	115.8	6.5	6.3	8.6	7.6	8.8
5.9	5.4	7.9	7.1	8.1	7.5	6.9	10.0	9.1	10.7
5.8	5.4	6.8	6.3	8.2	7.6	7.0	8.8	8.4	11.1
3.3	3.0	4.1	4.0	4.7	6.9	6.4	8.5	8.3	9.8
10.6	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	7.8	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
8.0	7.2	9.9	8.7	10.7	7.1	6.6	9.1	8.1	10.1
7.9	7.1	9.5	8.1	10.5	9.5	8.6	11.3	9.9	13.0
4.8	4.6	6.7	6.2	7.0	7.0	6.7	9.4	8.9	10.1
16.0	15.4	20.6	18.8	22.9	5.8	5.6	7.5	6.9	8.6
11.4	10.0	13.9	12.6	15.2	5.8	5.1	7.2	6.5	8.0

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		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
MICHIGAN						
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ANN ARBOR	C	134.7	134.8	128.7	128.8	131.5
* BATTLE CREEK	D	80.6	81.1	82.1	81.1	80.7
BAY CITY	D	53.1	53.3	52.6	51.8	50.9
* DETROIT	D	1989.8	1988.3	1971.8	1955.4	1951.2
* FLINT	D	220.9	220.9	219.9	213.2	213.1
* GRAND RAPIDS	C	283.6	286.0	280.2	279.9	277.2
JACKSON	D	65.0	65.0	65.6	64.8	64.9
* KALAMAZOO-PORTAGE	D	129.4	130.9	129.3	128.3	129.3
* LANSING-EAST LANSING	D	224.8	226.8	217.4	221.1	219.0
* MUSKEGON-NORTON SHORES-MU	E	75.4	75.6	77.0	75.4	74.8
* SAGINAW	C	102.1	101.9	100.2	98.8	96.7
MINNESOTA						
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* DULUTH-SUPERIOR	D	114.7	113.4	114.1	115.1	112.1
* MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL	C	1024.2	1044.0	1013.5	1012.4	976.6
ROCHESTER	C	48.0	48.7	48.7	47.6	45.1
ST. CLOUD	D	61.3	62.0	63.2	63.1	59.8
MISSISSIPPI						
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BILOXI-GULFPORT	D	60.0	60.4	60.4	59.2	56.9
* JACKSON	C	139.4	138.9	139.3	137.8	131.5
PASCAGOULA-MOSS POINT	D	52.4	54.3	54.7	54.2	53.8
MISSOURI						
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COLUMBIA	C	53.4	54.0	51.3	51.9	50.3
* KANSAS CITY	C	653.6	662.7	666.6	656.6	639.2
ST. JOSEPH	D	45.7	45.4	46.1	45.8	44.3
* ST. LOUIS	D	1064.5	1065.9	1071.7	1065.0	1042.3
SPRINGFIELD	C	97.6	98.7	98.6	98.0	95.6



## Unemployment

## Unemployment Rate

Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
7.3	7.2	8.8	7.9	10.0	5.4	5.4	6.8	6.1	7.6
5.7	6.1	6.9	6.5	7.5	7.1	7.5	8.4	8.0	9.3
3.7	3.9	4.2	4.1	4.7	7.0	7.3	7.9	8.0	9.2
143.4	135.2	163.1	146.7	174.7	7.2	6.8	8.3	7.5	9.0
17.0	15.4	23.0	16.5	19.8	7.7	7.0	10.5	7.7	9.3
15.2	15.2	18.1	16.6	20.5	5.4	5.3	6.5	5.9	7.4
4.2	4.4	5.3	5.3	6.7	6.4	6.8	8.2	8.2	10.3
7.9	7.7	8.4	7.9	9.8	6.1	5.9	6.5	6.1	7.6
14.4	14.0	21.3	15.2	17.5	6.4	6.2	9.8	6.9	8.0
7.0	6.3	7.1	6.4	7.7	9.2	8.4	9.2	8.5	10.3
5.7	5.9	7.1	6.7	7.3	5.6	5.8	7.1	6.8	7.6
8.8	9.4	8.8	8.8	10.7	7.7	8.3	7.7	7.7	9.6
36.3	37.3	41.1	42.4	48.5	3.5	3.6	4.1	4.2	5.0
1.8	1.7	1.5	1.7	2.1	3.7	3.4	3.0	3.6	4.6
4.6	3.6	3.6	4.2	5.6	7.6	5.8	5.7	6.7	9.3
4.3	5.4	4.8	4.7	4.5	7.1	9.0	8.0	8.0	7.8
7.8	7.9	8.7	8.2	7.9	5.6	5.7	6.2	6.0	6.0
3.4	3.6	3.5	3.2	2.9	6.6	6.7	6.4	5.9	5.3
2.0	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.1	3.7	3.6	4.0	3.8	4.2
33.3	35.1	40.8	35.7	40.4	5.1	5.3	6.1	5.4	6.3
2.9	2.8	2.8	2.7	3.4	6.3	6.1	6.1	5.9	7.6
73.2	65.4	69.3	68.2	80.5	6.9	6.1	6.5	6.4	7.7
5.0	4.5	4.3	4.3	5.1	5.1	4.6	4.3	4.4	5.4

**Summary Labor Force Data—(Continued)**  
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		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
MONTANA						
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BILLINGS	D	52.8	53.4	53.8	52.3	50.2
GREAT FALLS	D	35.7	35.5	36.0	35.0	32.7
NEBRASKA						
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LINCOLN	C	102.9	107.0	106.0	106.7	100.6
* OMAHA	C	271.8	276.6	277.3	275.4	261.2
NEVADA						
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LAS VEGAS	D	174.5	178.2	177.2	172.3	168.9
RENO	C	93.1	94.2	92.8	89.3	85.9
NEW HAMPSHIRE <sup>1</sup>						
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NEW JERSEY						
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* ATLANTIC CITY	F	76.7	82.1	89.9	82.3	78.1
* JERSEY CITY	E	251.8	259.3	258.5	256.7	261.1
LONG BRANCH-ASBURY PARK	D	212.1	220.6	225.6	217.8	209.8
* NEW BRUNSWICK-PERTH AMBOY	D	305.4	306.1	300.4	294.4	293.9
* NEWARK	D	935.1	954.8	937.6	927.7	921.9
* PATERSON-CLIFTON-PASSAIC	E	207.9	215.1	210.2	213.2	212.0
* TRENTON	C	155.6	160.9	155.6	155.9	153.7
VINELAND-MILLVILLE-BRIDGE	E	59.1	58.5	59.1	57.4	57.9
NEW MEXICO						
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* ALBUQUERQUE	D	187.0	188.7	189.2	184.8	178.1

Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
3.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.7	6.5	4.3	4.3	4.4	5.4
3.0	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.1	8.4	6.0	6.0	5.6	6.4
4.5	3.2	2.9	2.8	3.1	4.4	3.0	2.7	2.6	3.1
13.7	13.5	14.6	14.3	14.2	5.0	4.9	5.3	5.2	5.4
10.6	13.7	13.2	13.9	15.4	6.1	7.7	7.5	8.1	9.1
4.3	4.3	3.9	4.7	6.2	4.6	4.6	4.2	5.3	7.2
9.7	9.4	9.1	9.1	12.7	12.7	11.5	10.1	11.0	16.2
27.2	28.5	33.5	33.9	40.3	10.8	11.0	13.0	13.2	15.4
16.6	16.9	20.0	19.8	23.3	7.8	7.7	8.9	9.1	11.1
19.8	20.6	26.0	25.1	30.1	6.5	6.7	8.6	8.5	10.2
66.3	72.5	86.1	84.7	95.5	7.1	7.6	9.2	9.1	10.4
19.1	20.0	23.5	24.6	27.7	9.2	9.3	11.2	11.5	13.1
8.7	9.4	10.9	10.3	11.4	5.6	5.8	7.0	6.6	7.4
5.9	6.1	7.1	6.5	8.9	10.0	10.4	12.0	11.4	15.4
11.4	12.5	15.1	15.3	17.4	6.1	6.6	8.0	8.3	9.8

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(Quarterly Averages in Thousands)

		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
NEW YORK						
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* ALBANY-SCHENECTADY-TROY	D	358.6	357.2	360.9	358.8	349.1
* BINGHAMTON	D	131.6	134.7	134.6	134.0	129.0
* BUFFALO	D	558.6	569.6	572.6	566.1	554.6
ELMIRA	D	40.0	40.0	40.9	40.8	39.8
* NASSAU-SUFFOLK	D	1219.9	1233.0	1229.2	1216.3	1174.7
* NEW YORK	E	3640.2	3587.8	3619.5	3622.0	3637.7
POUGHKEEPSIE	C	98.2	98.7	98.6	96.8	93.9
* ROCHESTER	D	448.0	455.6	453.6	452.0	440.2
* SYRACUSE	D	289.7	293.5	288.8	286.1	278.8
* UTICA-ROME	D	133.8	136.5	139.2	137.7	134.1
NORTH CAROLINA						
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* ASHEVILLE	C	81.0	80.5	82.4	79.3	77.4
BURLINGTON	D	46.9	46.6	47.6	46.5	46.5
* CHARLOTTE-GASTONIA	C	325.3	321.5	321.1	319.4	311.8
FAYETTEVILLE	D	65.8	67.1	68.1	67.3	65.0
* GREENSBORO-WINSTON-SALEM-	C	406.6	403.5	404.9	401.8	396.7
* RALEIGH-DURHAM	C	265.5	262.1	259.1	255.3	252.1
WILMINGTON	D	56.8	57.8	58.9	59.2	57.1
NORTH DAKOTA						
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FARGO-MOOREHEAD	C	68.9	69.9	68.0	67.6	64.8
GRAND FORKS	C	44.6	N.A	N.A	N.A.	N.A.

Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
23.3	21.5	21.9	27.9	31.8	6.5	6.0	6.1	7.8	9.1
9.6	8.7	8.9	10.2	11.2	7.3	6.5	6.6	7.6	8.7
48.9	45.7	46.9	52.7	65.7	8.7	8.0	8.2	9.3	11.8
3.5	3.2	3.6	4.5	5.0	8.6	7.9	8.7	11.0	12.6
90.5	92.2	98.5	113.5	124.1	7.4	7.5	8.0	9.3	10.6
341.1	351.2	357.2	312.7	369.5	9.4	9.8	9.9	8.6	10.2
5.6	5.2	5.1	6.0	6.7	5.7	5.2	5.2	6.2	7.1
30.6	27.4	27.8	34.2	37.9	6.8	6.0	6.1	7.6	8.6
21.2	19.8	19.4	24.7	28.1	7.3	6.7	6.7	8.6	10.1
11.2	10.4	10.7	14.4	16.6	8.3	7.6	7.7	10.5	12.4
4.6	4.2	3.6	4.3	5.7	5.7	5.2	4.4	5.4	7.3
3.0	2.8	3.4	3.9	4.6	6.5	6.1	7.2	8.4	10.0
12.5	12.4	15.7	15.1	15.9	3.9	3.8	4.9	4.7	5.1
4.9	4.6	5.3	5.5	5.1	7.5	6.9	7.7	8.1	7.8
19.1	17.7	21.3	21.2	24.3	4.7	4.4	5.3	5.3	6.1
9.9	8.9	10.9	10.7	10.4	3.7	3.4	4.2	4.2	4.1
4.1	4.7	5.0	5.0	5.2	7.2	8.1	8.6	8.4	9.1
3.1	2.8	2.4	2.5	2.9	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.6	4.5
2.3	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	5.2	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.

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		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
OHIO						
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* AKRON	D	288.3	295.7	298.1	291.9	287.6
* CANTON	D	170.4	175.5	177.8	173.4	172.2
* CINCINNATI	C	611.1	627.5	631.6	614.6	596.7
* CLEVELAND	C	889.8	913.6	926.8	898.2	885.4
* COLUMBUS	C	501.3	519.6	522.2	505.9	495.3
* DAYTON	C	365.1	374.7	371.9	364.3	359.0
* HAMILTON-MIDDLETOWN	D	102.7	106.9	105.8	104.4	103.9
LIMA	D	95.9	97.6	99.9	95.8	93.4
* LORAIN-ELYRIA	C	119.1	121.6	122.5	117.8	115.9
MANSFIELD	D	59.1	60.1	60.9	59.7	58.3
SPRINGFIELD	D	79.7	81.5	83.6	80.6	77.5
* STEUBENVILLE-WEIRTON		N.A.	66.1	66.5	64.1	63.3
* TOLEDO	D	352.8	360.8	360.2	353.1	347.5
* YOUNGSTOWN-WARREN	D	230.5	237.8	238.4	231.3	228.9
OKLAHOMA						
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LAWTON	C	32.2	31.9	31.5	31.4	30.3
* OKLAHOMA CITY	C	375.9	372.1	366.1	362.8	348.3
* TULSA	C	295.8	296.3	297.4	292.6	281.6
OREGON						
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EUGENE-SPRINGFIELD	D	118.6	120.2	119.0	118.7	114.3
* PORTLAND	C	556.3	547.8	541.4	541.5	526.5
SALEM	C	105.8	107.1	111.5	105.2	99.8



Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
17.8	16.3	17.0	19.3	24.8	6.2	5.5	5.7	6.6	8.6
11.2	10.5	11.0	12.4	17.5	6.6	6.0	6.2	7.1	10.2
34.2	30.2	32.3	33.4	41.5	5.6	4.8	5.1	5.4	7.0
45.8	46.5	49.6	54.7	64.6	5.1	5.1	5.4	6.1	7.3
25.9	24.6	28.1	29.0	37.9	5.2	4.7	5.4	5.7	7.7
18.3	17.2	18.2	19.5	26.0	5.0	4.6	4.9	5.4	7.2
7.4	7.4	7.0	7.9	11.7	7.2	6.9	6.6	7.5	11.2
6.7	5.6	6.0	6.2	8.1	7.0	5.7	6.0	6.4	8.7
6.4	6.4	7.0	6.9	8.9	5.3	5.2	5.7	5.8	7.7
5.1	4.1	3.8	4.2	5.4	8.6	6.9	6.3	7.1	9.2
4.9	4.2	4.8	5.2	6.5	6.1	5.2	5.8	6.5	8.3
N.A	4.1	3.0	3.0	4.1	N.A	6.2	4.6	4.6	6.5
23.8	22.2	23.4	24.4	31.5	6.7	6.1	6.5	6.9	9.1
19.9	17.9	17.6	16.7	23.6	8.6	7.5	7.4	7.2	10.3
1.4	1.9	2.1	2.2	1.9	4.3	5.9	6.8	7.0	6.4
13.3	14.0	16.6	18.3	18.2	3.5	3.8	4.5	5.0	5.2
12.6	13.1	15.2	15.0	15.0	4.3	4.4	5.1	5.1	5.3
7.5	8.6	9.2	9.6	11.0	6.3	7.1	7.7	8.1	9.6
27.9	31.6	33.0	37.1	43.8	5.0	5.8	6.1	6.8	8.3
6.3	6.1	6.1	7.6	9.1	5.9	5.7	5.5	7.2	9.1

**Summary Labor Force Data—(Continued)**  
**(Quarterly Averages in Thousands)**

		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
PENNSYLVANIA						
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* ALLENTOWN-BETHLEHEM-EASTON	D	297.2	298.7	304.9	300.1	297.2
* ALTOONA	D	57.1	56.7	57.5	56.4	54.8
* ERIE	D	120.3	120.8	121.3	120.0	117.5
* HARRISBURG	C	207.2	207.3	212.1	208.3	203.7
* JOHNSTOWN	F	107.3	104.3	111.5	106.1	104.8
* LANCASTER	C	164.4	166.5	166.3	163.5	158.8
* NORTHEAST PENNSYLVANIA	E	268.0	270.4	276.5	270.5	268.5
* PHILADELPHIA	D	2045.8	2079.4	2080.7	2067.6	2037.6
* PITTSBURGH	D	970.3	975.6	975.9	966.9	951.6
* READING	D	147.2	146.3	146.3	145.9	143.3
WILLIAMSPORT	E	50.5	50.8	50.8	49.9	50.1
* YORK	D	158.2	158.4	159.1	156.7	153.3
PUERTO RICO						
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CAGUAS	F	49.1	48.6	48.5	48.7	51.0
* MAYAGUEZ	F	44.9	46.4	46.0	44.4	45.7
* PONCE	F	67.8	68.0	67.4	64.7	67.3
* SAN JUAN	E	321.7	321.2	322.3	322.5	328.6
RHODE ISLAND						
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* PROVIDENCE-WARWICK-PAWTUCKET	D	441.8	447.8	445.9	443.2	437.2

## Unemployment

## Unemployment Rate

Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
19.7	17.9	21.8	19.5	24.9	6.6	6.0	7.2	6.5	8.4
4.8	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.9	8.3	6.9	6.7	6.8	8.9
8.5	8.0	8.4	8.8	11.2	7.1	6.6	7.0	7.3	9.6
11.7	10.4	11.9	10.7	13.0	5.6	5.0	5.6	5.1	6.4
13.8	11.0	15.2	6.1	10.0	12.9	10.6	13.6	5.7	9.5
8.8	6.9	7.4	7.6	10.1	5.3	4.1	4.5	4.6	6.4
25.8	23.5	26.1	24.7	31.2	9.6	8.7	9.4	9.1	11.6
154.7	163.2	183.6	175.0	194.9	7.6	7.8	8.8	8.5	9.6
70.8	57.9	59.9	58.7	79.1	7.3	5.9	6.1	6.1	8.3
8.8	7.4	9.1	9.0	10.5	6.0	5.1	6.2	6.2	7.3
4.6	4.2	4.2	4.3	5.5	9.1	8.3	8.3	8.6	11.1
9.5	8.4	9.7	9.1	12.2	6.0	5.3	6.1	5.8	7.9
8.1	9.0	8.6	8.9	10.9	16.6	18.6	17.8	18.2	21.3
7.0	7.5	7.5	6.2	7.4	15.6	16.1	16.4	14.0	16.3
10.8	12.1	11.9	11.8	13.0	15.9	17.8	17.6	18.2	19.3
34.9	36.7	38.0	39.9	43.4	10.8	11.4	11.8	12.4	13.2
37.8	31.7	41.1	38.7	41.4	8.6	7.1	9.2	8.7	9.5

**Summary Labor Force Data—(Continued)**  
**(Quarterly Averages in Thousands)**

		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
SOUTH CAROLINA						
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* CHARLESTON-NORTH CHARLEST	D	144.5	147.1	149.1	146.4	139.9
COLUMBIA	C	166.4	169.0	166.1	164.3	159.5
* GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG	C	247.1	254.9	255.9	255.3	247.1
SOUTH DAKOTA						
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SIOUX FALLS	C	56.7	55.9	56.4	55.2	52.6
TENNESSEE						
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* CHATTANOOGA	D	183.3	183.7	184.5	184.3	180.0
CLARKSVILLE-HOPKINSVILLE,	D	48.5	49.6	49.3	48.2	46.3
JOHNSON CITY-KINGSPORT-BR	D	166.8	171.9	171.5	168.6	164.3
* KNOXVILLE	C	195.4	200.1	200.2	198.6	193.2
* MEMPHIS	C	368.0	378.1	376.6	374.4	364.5
* NASHVILLE-DAVIDSON	C	381.2	386.3	384.2	380.9	372.1
TEXAS						
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ABILENE	C	61.4	61.8	61.8	61.5	60.7
AMARILLO	C	85.3	85.9	85.9	83.4	81.9
* AUSTIN	C	232.0	230.2	224.3	222.6	218.7
* BEAUMONT-PORT ARTHUR-ORAN	D	166.9	166.7	166.4	165.1	165.1
BROWNSVILLE-HARLINGEN-SAN	E	72.5	70.5	68.9	69.8	70.8
BRYAN-COLLEGE STATION	C	36.8	36.2	35.1	35.5	34.9
* CORPUS CHRISTI	D	128.4	125.8	125.3	126.6	125.3
* DALLAS-FORT WORTH	C	1348.0	1348.5	1329.2	1311.4	1294.1
* EL PASO	E	160.8	162.7	162.9	163.4	164.2
GALVESTON-TEXAS CITY	D	87.8	87.7	88.6	85.5	84.1
* HOUSTON	C	1321.8	1309.8	1285.3	1258.2	1236.2
KILLEEN-TEMPLE	C	58.7	59.8	60.3	60.2	58.7
LAREDO	F	31.1	30.3	29.3	30.2	30.7
LONGVIEW, TEXAS	D	61.2	60.5	59.9	59.0	59.0
LUBBOCK	C	99.5	102.3	99.6	95.9	94.0

Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
9.7	10.6	12.2	11.2	10.3	6.7	7.2	8.2	7.6	7.4
7.6	8.5	10.0	10.1	9.6	4.5	5.0	6.0	6.1	6.0
13.8	14.8	17.0	15.9	15.6	5.6	5.8	6.7	6.2	6.3
1.8	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.9	3.1	2.2	2.2	2.6	3.6
11.0	9.5	10.6	10.7	11.3	6.0	5.2	5.8	5.8	6.3
3.7	3.1	2.4	2.5	2.8	7.6	6.2	4.9	5.1	6.0
10.4	8.4	9.2	9.7	11.9	6.2	4.9	5.3	5.8	7.2
9.9	8.7	9.7	10.6	11.2	5.0	4.4	4.8	5.4	5.8
20.7	21.5	24.7	25.1	24.2	5.6	5.7	6.6	6.7	6.6
17.3	15.0	17.4	17.7	19.1	4.5	3.9	4.5	4.7	5.1
3.3	2.9	3.1	2.7	3.0	5.5	4.8	5.0	4.3	4.9
3.5	3.1	3.6	2.9	3.5	4.1	3.6	4.2	3.4	4.2
8.1	9.5	10.3	8.5	10.3	3.5	4.1	4.6	3.8	4.7
11.9	10.7	11.5	11.1	13.3	7.1	6.4	6.9	6.7	8.0
7.8	7.1	7.5	7.9	10.2	10.7	10.0	10.9	11.4	14.4
1.1	1.0	1.3	1.1	1.3	3.1	2.8	3.6	3.2	3.7
7.9	7.7	8.6	8.4	10.1	6.2	6.1	6.9	6.7	8.1
60.4	58.1	65.4	55.3	68.5	4.5	4.3	4.9	4.2	5.3
15.7	17.0	18.6	19.1	22.0	9.8	10.4	11.4	11.7	13.4
6.0	5.8	6.2	5.9	7.7	6.8	6.6	7.0	7.0	9.2
56.2	52.0	58.5	50.1	61.2	4.2	4.0	4.6	4.0	5.0
3.2	3.4	3.7	3.3	3.9	5.4	5.8	6.1	5.4	6.6
4.8	4.1	3.4	4.0	5.8	15.3	13.5	11.7	13.1	18.8
3.7	3.3	3.5	3.3	4.0	6.1	5.4	5.8	5.6	6.8
4.0	3.5	3.8	3.2	4.1	4.0	3.4	3.8	3.4	4.4

**Summary Labor Force Data—(Continued)**  
**(Quarterly Averages in Thousands)**

State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	Civilian Labor Force				
		1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
MCALLEN-PHARR-EDINBURG	F	88.7	84.1	76.0	82.5	83.7
MIDLAND	C	41.6	41.6	40.6	39.2	38.0
ODESSA	C	57.8	57.3	56.4	55.0	54.1
SAN ANGELO	C	40.2	39.9	39.0	37.9	37.2
* SAN ANTONIO	D	398.5	395.3	393.0	388.9	386.5
SHERMAN-DENISON	D	37.2	36.8	36.3	35.5	34.8
TEXARKANA	D	46.1	46.1	46.5	45.4	44.5
TYLER	C	60.0	58.2	58.8	58.3	58.2
WACO	C	77.4	77.2	76.3	74.9	73.6
WICHITA FALLS	C	60.0	59.5	58.9	58.4	56.7
UTAH						
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PROVO-OREM	C	66.7	69.8	67.4	65.3	66.3
* SALT LAKE CITY-OGDEN	C	351.0	357.0	356.1	350.9	341.2
VIRGINIA						
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LYNCHBURG	D	71.0	69.8	69.4	69.3	68.6
* NEWPORT NEWS-HAMPTON	D	154.3	154.3	155.9	154.5	150.5
* NORFOLK-VIRGINIA BEACH-PO	D	310.9	309.8	314.5	307.3	300.4
PETERSBURG-COLONIAL HEIGHTS	D	58.7	57.7	58.1	57.9	57.7
* RICHMOND	C	317.3	315.7	315.7	310.0	303.4
* ROANOKE	D	110.8	109.1	109.5	108.7	108.1
WASHINGTON						
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RICHLAND-KENNEWICK	D	58.0	58.7	59.6	58.8	55.8
* SEATTLE-EVERETT	C	711.0	713.0	709.9	697.9	678.3
* SPOKANE	D	131.7	132.6	131.3	131.7	129.3
* TACOMA	D	155.2	156.6	157.7	157.3	153.8
YAKIMA	E	68.2	72.8	78.7	76.3	66.0



Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
12.7	11.6	9.6	8.1	11.4	14.3	13.8	12.6	9.8	13.6
1.8	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.6	4.3	3.9	4.2	3.7	4.1
2.1	2.2	2.4	2.0	2.2	3.7	3.9	4.3	3.6	4.1
1.4	1.4	1.4	1.1	1.5	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.0	3.9
26.3	25.7	29.2	25.8	27.5	6.6	6.5	7.4	6.6	7.1
2.4	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.8	6.6	6.0	6.5	6.4	8.2
3.6	3.1	3.4	3.0	3.8	7.8	6.7	7.3	6.7	8.6
2.8	2.6	3.0	2.5	3.0	4.7	4.4	5.0	4.2	5.2
4.1	3.6	3.8	3.3	3.9	5.3	4.6	5.0	4.4	5.3
2.3	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.6	3.9	3.5	4.0	3.7	4.6
3.6	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.7	5.3	4.1	4.4	4.7	5.5
18.3	16.8	17.9	18.6	21.0	5.2	4.7	5.0	5.3	6.1
4.4	2.6	3.1	3.0	3.4	6.2	3.7	4.5	4.3	5.0
11.2	8.1	8.4	8.9	11.2	7.3	5.2	5.4	5.8	7.5
23.3	16.4	17.0	17.7	20.8	7.5	5.3	5.4	5.8	6.9
4.1	2.7	3.1	3.0	3.7	6.9	4.7	5.4	5.2	6.5
13.3	10.0	11.7	12.8	14.7	4.2	3.2	3.7	4.1	4.8
9.7	4.8	5.1	5.5	7.4	8.7	4.4	4.6	5.1	6.9
3.6	4.2	5.2	4.7	5.0	6.2	7.2	8.7	8.0	8.9
41.1	49.9	57.2	61.0	64.3	5.8	7.0	8.1	8.7	9.5
8.3	9.4	10.0	10.9	12.1	6.3	7.1	7.6	8.3	9.4
11.4	13.4	14.9	15.9	16.6	7.3	8.6	9.5	10.1	10.8
7.7	6.0	8.0	8.7	9.0	11.3	8.3	10.1	11.4	13.7

**Summary Labor Force Data—(Continued)**  
**(Quarterly Averages in Thousands)**

		Civilian Labor Force				
State and Area	Labor Supply Classification	1978	1977			
		I	IV	III	II	I
WEST VIRGINIA						
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* CHARLESTON	D	112.4	113.8	114.3	113.1	110.9
* HUNTINGTON-ASHLAND	D	112.3	114.8	114.9	114.1	113.7
PARKERSBURG-MARIETTA	D	63.3	63.9	64.3	62.9	63.5
* WHEELING	D	75.7	79.5	78.2	76.1	76.3
WISCONSIN						
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* APPLETON-OSHKOSH	C	132.4	139.2	141.6	138.7	134.7
EAU CLAIRE	D	50.6	55.9	55.2	55.0	54.4
GREEN BAY	C	80.7	86.8	87.3	85.0	82.8
* KENOSHA	E	55.9	62.2	63.0	61.6	57.6
LA CROSSE	C	42.8	44.1	43.3	42.9	41.8
* MADISON	C	164.2	177.4	172.7	171.8	167.2
* MILWAUKEE	C	674.1	724.6	711.3	708.3	697.4
* RACINE	C	85.2	89.5	90.5	88.7	86.5

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Data for \*Manchester and Nashua, N.H. not available

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Major Labor Area

N.A.

Data not available

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\* Major Labor Area

N.A. Data not available

Unemployment					Unemployment Rate				
1978	1977				1978	1977			
I	IV	III	II	I	I	IV	III	II	I
7.1	4.8	4.5	4.8	7.0	6.3	4.3	3.9	4.2	6.3
9.5	6.9	6.5	6.3	9.5	8.4	6.0	5.7	5.5	8.3
4.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	6.0	7.1	5.5	5.5	5.8	9.5
6.8	5.9	3.8	3.9	7.3	8.9	7.4	4.9	5.1	9.6
6.7	6.0	5.6	6.1	8.0	5.0	4.3	4.0	4.4	5.9
3.5	3.0	2.9	2.8	3.8	6.9	5.4	5.3	5.2	7.1
4.5	4.0	3.7	4.2	5.3	5.6	4.6	4.2	4.9	6.4
5.2	3.6	6.0	3.4	7.0	9.2	5.9	9.6	5.5	12.1
2.2	2.1	1.8	2.0	2.6	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.7	6.3
6.7	5.6	5.6	6.1	7.3	4.1	3.2	3.2	3.5	4.4
29.1	28.2	29.5	29.3	35.4	4.3	3.9	4.1	4.1	5.1
4.7	4.2	4.9	4.2	6.0	5.5	4.7	5.4	4.7	6.9

## **New Department of Labor Regulations Implementing Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A**

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**PART V**



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### **DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

**Employment and Training  
Administration**

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**Preference in Federal  
Procurement Under  
Defense Manpower Policy  
DMP-4A and Executive  
Order 10582**

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## RULES AND REGULATIONS

[4510-30]

## Title 20—Employees' Benefits

## CHAPTER V—EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

## PREFERENCE IN FEDERAL PROCUREMENT UNDER DEFENSE MANPOWER POLICY DMP-4A AND EXECUTIVE ORDER 10582

## New Criteria for Classifying Labor Surplus Areas

AGENCY: Employment and Training Administration, Labor.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: These regulations establish new criteria for classifying labor surplus areas, published by the Department of Labor for the use of all Federal agencies in directing procurement activity and locating new plants or facilities. Firms which agree to perform most of the work in labor surplus areas are eligible for preference in the award of procurement contracts and grants and the execution of agreements.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Effective March 3, 1978. Comments by May 2, 1978.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department published proposed regulations on DMP-4A and Executive Order 10582 on December 16, 1977, at 42 FR 63428. Interested persons were invited to submit comments on the proposed regulations until December 31, 1977. In response to these comments, a number of substantive and editorial changes have been made to the proposed rules. The most significant comments and the Department's responses thereto are listed below:

1. A commentator requested that the Department more clearly delineate the responsibilities assigned to the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) under the provisions for classifying labor surplus areas resulting from exceptional circumstances. § 654.4(c). Under the proposed classification scheme, BLS was assigned responsibility for determining affected areas' unemployment rates, without regard to the usual 12-month reference period. Since the State employment security agencies bear the responsibility for collecting the required unemployment data, inclusion of BLS in the determination process is unnecessary; the State agencies can forward data directly to the Employment and Training

Administration for evaluation by the Assistant Secretary. This provision has therefore been revised accordingly.

2. A commentator suggested that, due to their limited resources, the Department eliminate responsibilities assigned to the State employment service agencies for identifying occupations and skills which are in "surplus supply" within labor surplus areas and those which are needed by new or expanding industries. § 654.2(d) (3) and (4). These responsibilities were carried over from the former DMP-4 program and assigned to the Secretary of Labor under the revised DMP-4A. Therefore, these activities must still be performed. Since these are ongoing activities, the State agencies should have already established methods for gathering the required information. The final regulations therefore retain the requirement that these responsibilities be carried out by the State agencies. § 654.7 (b), (c), and (d).

In contrast to these ongoing responsibilities assigned to the State agencies, § 654.7(f) of the proposed regulations called for unprecedented evaluations of the numbers and characteristics of unemployed individuals who become employed in firms establishing or expanding plants or facilities in labor surplus areas. The Department has concluded that such evaluations exceed the current capabilities of the State agencies and would require the development of additional data collection procedures for which resources are unavailable. Given these fiscal constraints, and the fact that these evaluations are not required under DMP-4A, these requirements have been dropped from the final regulations.

3. A commentator suggested that the Department clarify the provisions of the proposed regulations relating to Executive Order 10582 to avoid confusion regarding its purpose. In response to this comment, Subpart B of Part 654 has been expanded to include a description of the statutory provisions pursuant to which Executive Order 10582 was promulgated. Against this statutory backdrop, the purpose of the Executive order appears more clearly.

4. Three commentators suggested that the Department utilize broader indicators of economic distress or hardship than the proposed 12-month average unemployment rate as the basic criterion for classifying labor surplus areas to take into consideration the overall economic health of a region. Recommendations included using, in addition to the unemployment rate, such factors as economic growth rates, concentration of elderly, out-migration patterns, and unemployment rates over a 24-month (as opposed to a 12-month) reference period.

While due consideration was given to these proposals, it is apparent from

the preambles of both the predecessor DMP-4 and the revised DMP-4A regulations that these programs are concerned primarily with unemployment as opposed to the more general condition of economic distress:

A primary aim of Federal manpower policy is to encourage full utilization of existing production facilities and workers in preference to creating new plants or moving workers, thus assisting the maintenance of economic balance and employment stability. When large numbers of workers move to already tight areas, heavy burdens are placed on community facilities—schools, hospitals, housing, transportation, utilities, etc. On the other hand, when unemployment develops in certain areas, unemployment compensation costs increase the total cost to the Government, and plants, tools, and workers' skills remain idle and unable to contribute to our national security program.

In view of the clear intention to focus attention on surplus labor, and in view of the fact that other measures of economic distress are not uniformly and consistently available among all labor market areas, the 12-month average unemployment rate has been retained as the sole criterion for classifying labor surplus areas.

Similarly, with respect to the reference period for examining unemployment levels, the 12-month framework was retained. A 12-month reference period indicates relatively current unemployment rates while encompassing a sufficient interval to discount seasonal factors. Conversely, the 24-month reference period suggested by one commentator may tend to mask current unemployment rates and, in a changing economy, obscure the location and identification of available workers and facilities.

5. Several commentators recommended that the Department reduce the required unemployment rate for eligibility from a rate 25 percent above the national average unemployment rate to a rate 20 percent above the national average in order to ensure competitive bidding from firms in labor surplus areas. Substitution of the 1.20 factor results in the inclusion of approximately 83 additional labor market areas in the first quarter classifications for 1978, a change from 371 labor market areas (using the 1.25 factor) to 454 labor market areas (using the 1.20 factor). The Department found that adoption of the 1.20 factor would result in a reasonable number of qualifying areas so as to meet the goal of targeting procurement activity while ensuring that offers of contract performance will be obtained from a sufficient number of eligible concerns so that awards will be made at reasonable prices. Accordingly, § 654.4(a) has been modified to conform to these recommendations.

6. One comment concerned the classification of multi-jurisdictional labor market areas as labor surplus areas.



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Under the proposed regulations, an entire labor market area, which as a whole did not meet the qualifying unemployment rate, nevertheless could have qualified as a labor surplus area if the area-wide unemployment rate was at least 6 percent, provided that a component political jurisdiction which in itself met the basic criteria had a population of at least 50,000 and accounted for at least 25 percent of the total unemployment for the labor market area. § 654.4(b). The commentator suggested that this classification scheme failed to guarantee that procurement activity would be directed to those component jurisdictions which were responsible for triggering the classification of the labor market area as a labor surplus area. Given the exodus of business and manufacturing from the central cities, this commentator estimated that procurement activity too would be directed away from areas of high unemployment in the inner cities.

Procurement activity directed into any section of a labor market will usually affect surrounding areas, and may be beneficial to the entire area, since labor market areas are defined on the basis of commuting patterns. In view of this fact, the final regulations retain the proposed area-wide classification scheme. The Department is requesting further comments with respect to this provision.

7. Two comments were directed at the provisions at § 654.5 for terminating classifications of labor surplus areas. One commentator recommended that the termination provisions be tied to a 24-month reference period in order to avoid a "yo-yo effect" wherein an area is eligible during one quarter and not the next. As noted in paragraph 4 above concerning the basic classification methodology, the Department has selected a 12-month reference period to reflect relatively current unemployment rates while accounting for seasonal variations in unemployment. The rationale for utilizing a 12-month reference period applies with equal force to the termination provisions.

A second comment concerned the provisions at § 654.5(b) for terminating classifications of labor market areas which qualify as a result of exceptional circumstances. Specifically, the commentator questioned the advisability of declassifying an area following a single quarter for which the unemployment level fell below 6.0 percent.

The Department recognizes that such an inflexible standard could result in declassification during one quarter even though, due to exceptional circumstances, the labor market area is expected to experience qualifying unemployment levels in the next quarter. The 6.0 percent standard has therefore been stricken and this sub-

section has been reworded to provide for periodic review using the same criteria applied to initially classify labor market areas resulting from exceptional circumstances.

8. One commentator recommended that the Department include a special appeals procedure to enable State employment security agency officials to challenge determinations made pursuant to these regulations. The Department already has an appeals procedure which is applicable to this program at 20 CFR § 658.420-423.

After considering all of the comments, the proposed regulations, as modified, are adopted. In accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act (5 U.S.C. § 553(d)) the Secretary of Labor has determined that it is in the public interest for these regulations to become final upon publication. Since these regulations directly affect competitive bidding on Federal government contracts, it is important that they become effective immediately to prevent disruption of the procurement process.

The regulations are final. However, in view of the shortened period for comment on the proposed regulations, additional written comments will be accepted for a period of 60 days after their effective date. All written material received will be considered before taking action on any revision or amendments to these regulations.

Accordingly, Parts 603, 651, 654 and 658, Chapter V, Title 20 of the Code of Federal Regulations are amended as follows:

#### PART 603—STATE PROGRAM BUDGET PLANS UNDER THE WAGNER-PEYSEY ACT

##### § 603.3 [Amended]

1. In § 603.3 the comma and the words "and at 29 CFR Part 8" are deleted.

#### PART 651—GENERAL PROVISIONS GOVERNING THE FEDERAL-STATE EMPLOYMENT SERVICE SYSTEM

##### § 651.5 [Amended]

2. In paragraph (d) of § 651.5, the comma and the words "when published, will set forth" are changed to "contains".

##### § 651.6 [Amended]

3. In § 651.6, the entry for "Part 654—Special Responsibilities of the Employment Service System," is amended by deleting the word "[Reserved]" and adding the following table of contents:

##### Subpart A—Responsibilities Under Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A (32A CFR Part 134)

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654.1 Purpose of subpart.

###### Sec.

654.2 Description of DMP-4A.

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654.6 Publication of area classifications.

654.7 Services to firms and individuals in labor surplus areas.

654.8 Filing of employment service-related complaints.

##### Subpart B—Responsibilities Under Executive Order 10582

###### Sec.

654.11 Purpose of subpart.

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654.14 Filing of employment service-related complaints.

##### § 651.7 [Amended]

4. In § 651.7 the definition of the term "ES regulations" is amended by deleting the numeral "8" and the comma which follows it from the citation "29 CFR Parts 8, 26 and 75."

#### PART 654—SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE EMPLOYMENT SERVICE SYSTEM

5. Part 654 is amended by deleting the word "[Reserved]" and adding a new Part 654 as follows:

##### Subpart A—Responsibilities Under Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A (32A CFR Part 134)

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AUTHORITY: Pub. L. 95-89; 50 U.S.C. App. 2061, et seq.; 41 U.S.C. 10a et seq.; 29 U.S.C. 49 et seq.; E.O. 11725; E.O. 11051, as amended; E.O. 10582; E.O. 10480; 32A CFR Part 134.

##### § 654.1 Purpose of subpart.

This subpart implements the responsibilities of the Secretary of Labor in classifying labor surplus areas in accordance with Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A of the Federal Preparedness Agency, General Services Administration (32A CFR Part 134—Preservation of the Mobilization Base



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Through the Placement of Procurement and Facilities in Labor Surplus Areas (DMP-4A)). The Secretary of Labor has delegated responsibilities to the Assistant Secretary, Employment and Training Administration.

#### § 654.2 Description of DMP-4A.

(a) Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A (DMP-4A) consists of the federal regulations at 32A CFR Part 134—Preservation of the Mobilization Base Through the Placement of Procurement and Facilities in Labor Surplus Areas.

(b) The DMP-4A regulations were issued pursuant to Pub. L. 95-89; Executive Order 10480; Executive Order 11051, as amended; and Executive Order 11725. Implementation of the regulations is the responsibility of the Federal Preparedness Agency of the General Services Administration.

(c) The purpose of DMP-4A is to encourage the purchase of goods and services by the Federal Government and the placement of Federal facilities in areas of labor surplus.

(d) Under DMP-4A, the Secretary of Labor is required to:

(1) Classify labor surplus areas and disseminate this information on a timely basis to Federal departments and agencies.

(2) In cooperation with State and local authorities and the Secretary of Commerce, provide labor-market data and related economic information in efforts to assist in the initiation of industrial expansion programs in labor surplus areas.

(3) Identify occupations and skills which are in surplus supply within labor surplus areas and make this information available to firms requiring such occupations and skills and interested in establishing new plants and facilities.

(4) Identify occupations and skills for which labor will be needed by new or expanding industries and industries that expand during a mobilization; and, in collaboration with other Government agencies, make assistance available to labor surplus area institutions and users in developing on-the-job, apprentice, or other training programs for developing skills of the work force.

(5) Through the affiliated State employment services, receive job openings on a voluntary basis and/or under the mandatory listing program provided for by section 2012 of Title 38 of the United States Code and by Executive Order 11701, and refer qualified unemployed workers to concerns in labor surplus areas.

(e) Under DMP-4A, all Federal agencies are required to:

(1) Use their best efforts to award all procurement contracts and grants, and execute agreements, greater than \$2,500 to concerns that will perform a substantial proportion of the manufacturing, production, or appropriate services on those contracts within labor surplus areas, to the extent that procurement objectives will permit.

(2) Ensure that firms in labor surplus areas that are on appropriate bidders mailing lists are given the opportunity to submit offers on all procurements for which they

are qualified. Whenever the number of firms on a bidders mailing list is excessive in relation to size and type of procurement, a representative number of firms from labor surplus areas shall be given the opportunity to submit offers.

(3) Establish programs to encourage prime contractors to award subcontracts to firms that agree to perform a substantial proportion of the production, manufacturing or appropriate services on those subcontracts in labor surplus areas.

(4) Cooperate with other Federal departments and agencies in achieving the objectives of this policy.

(f) Under DMP-4A, the Secretary of Commerce is required to:

(1) In cooperation with State economic development agencies, the Secretary of Defense, the Administrator of General Services, and the Administrator of the Small Business Administration, assist concerns which have agreed to perform contracts in labor surplus areas in obtaining Government procurement business by: (A) Providing such concerns with timely information on proposed Government procurements; and (B) maintaining current information on the manufacturing capabilities of such concerns with respect to Government procurement and disseminating such information to Federal departments and agencies.

(2) Urge concerns planning new production facilities to consider the advantages of locating in labor surplus areas.

(3) Provide technical advice and counsel to groups and organizations in labor surplus areas on planned industrial parks, industrial development organizations, expanding tourist business, and available Federal aids.

(g) Under DMP-4A, the Administrator of the Small Business Administration is required to make available to small business concerns in labor surplus areas all of its services, endeavor to ensure opportunity for maximum participation by such concerns in Government procurement, and give consideration to the needs of these concerns in the making of joint small business set asides with Government procurement agencies.

(h) Under DMP-4A, there is continued in operation within the Federal Preparedness Agency the Surplus Manpower Committee. The Committee is chaired by the Director of the Federal Preparedness Agency or the Director's designee. The Committee includes representation from the Office of Federal Procurement Policy; Department of Defense; Department of Commerce; Department of Labor; General Services Administration; Small Business Administration; Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Department of Housing and Urban Development; Department of Energy; and other interested departments and agencies. The Committee advises the Director, Federal Preparedness Agency, on policies, procedures, and activities in existence or needed to carry out the purpose of DMP-4A.

(i) When an entire industry that sells a significant portion of its production to the Government is general-

ly depressed or has a significant proportion of its production units located in a labor surplus area, the Committee may make appropriate recommendations relative to that industry in lieu of recommendations relative to specific geographical areas. In such cases, after notice to and hearing of interested parties, the Director, Federal Preparedness Agency, gives consideration to appropriate measures applicable to the entire industry.

(j) Under DMP-4A, all Federal agencies are required to give consideration to labor surplus areas in the selection of sites for Government-financed facilities, including expansion, to the extent that such selection is consistent with existing law and essential economic and strategic factors that must also be taken into account.

#### § 654.3 Definitions.

(a) "Assistant Secretary" shall mean Assistant Secretary for Employment and Training, U.S. Department of Labor.

(b) "Labor market area" shall mean a geographic area as determined by the State employment security agencies and approved by the Assistant Secretary, in which there is a concentration of economic activity or labor demand, and in which workers can generally change jobs without changing their residences.

(c) "Labor surplus area" shall mean a labor market area that, in accordance with the criteria specified in § 654.4, has been classified as a labor surplus area for purposes of Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A.

(d) "Reference period" shall mean the 12-month period ending three (3) months prior to the date of quarterly classifications of labor surplus areas; for example, for classifications effective for the eligibility quarter beginning July 1 of a given year, the reference period shall include data for the 12-month period from April 1 of the prior year through March 31 of the given year.

#### § 654.4 Classification of labor surplus areas.

(a) *Basic criteria.* The Assistant Secretary shall classify a labor market area as a labor surplus area whenever, as determined by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the average unemployment rate for the civilian labor force in the labor market area for the reference period is (1) 120 percent of the national average unemployment rate or higher for the reference period as determined by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, or (2) 10 percent or higher: *Provided, however,* That no labor market area shall be classified as a labor surplus area if the average unemployment rate for the reference period is less than 6.0 percent.

(b) *Criteria for component jurisdictions.* The assistant Secretary shall

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classify a labor market area as a labor surplus area if the Assistant Secretary determines that the area-wide average unemployment rate for the civilian labor force is at least 6.0 percent and the average unemployment rate for the civilian labor force in one or more of the component political jurisdictions meets the criteria specified in § 654.4(a), subject to the following limitations: (1) Such qualifying component jurisdiction—city, county, or county-equivalent—has a population of not less than 50,000 persons on the basis of the most satisfactory current data available to the Assistant Secretary; and (2) the number of unemployed individuals resident in such qualifying component jurisdictions, either singly or in combination, accounts for at least 25 percent of the total number of unemployed individuals resident in the labor market area.

(c) *Criteria for exceptional circumstances.* The Assistant Secretary, upon petition submitted by the appropriate state employment security agency, may classify a labor market area as a labor surplus area without regard to the reference period, whenever the labor market area meets or is expected to meet the unemployment tests established under § 654.4(a) or (b) as a result of exceptional circumstances. For purposes of this paragraph, "exceptional circumstances" shall mean catastrophic events such as natural disasters, plant closings, and contract cancellations expected to have a long-term impact on labor market area conditions, discounting temporary or seasonal factors.

#### § 654.5 Termination of classification.

(a) *Basic procedure.* The Assistant Secretary shall terminate the classification of a labor market area as a labor surplus area after any quarter in which the Assistant Secretary determines that the criteria established under § 654.4(a) and (b) are no longer met.

(b) *Procedure for exceptional circumstances.* The Assistant Secretary shall terminate the classification of a labor market area classified as a labor surplus area pursuant to the provisions of § 654.4(c) after any quarter in which the Assistant Secretary determines that the exceptional circumstances criteria of that paragraph are no longer met, and in any event after one year from the date of classification unless the labor market area meets the criteria established under § 654.4(a) or (b).

#### § 654.6 Publication of area classifications.

The Assistant Secretary shall publish quarterly a list of labor surplus areas together with geographic descriptions thereof.

#### § 654.7 Services to firms and individuals in labor surplus areas.

To carry out the purposes and policy objectives of Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A and Executive Order 10582, the Assistant Secretary shall cooperate with and assist the state employment service agencies and the Secretary of Commerce, as appropriate, to:

(a) Provide relevant labor market data and related economic information to assist in the initiation of industrial expansion programs in labor surplus areas;

(b) Identify upon request the skills and numbers of unemployed persons available for work in labor surplus areas, providing such information to firms interested in establishing new plants and facilities of expanding existing plants and facilities in such areas;

(c) Identify the occupational composition and skill requirements of industries contemplating locating in labor surplus areas and make such information available to training and apprenticeship agencies and resources in the community for purposes of appropriate training and skill development;

(d) Identify unemployed individuals in need of, and having the potential for, training in occupations and skills required by new or expanding industries and refer such individuals to appropriate training opportunities;

(e) Receive job openings on a voluntary basis and/or under the mandatory listing program provided by 38 U.S.C. 1012 and Executive Order 11701 and refer qualified unemployed workers to such openings, making appropriate efforts to refer to such openings qualified individuals who reside in the labor surplus area.

#### § 654.8 Filing of employment service-related complaints.

Employment service-related complaints arising under Subpart A of this Part may be filed directly with the appropriate Department of Labor regional office in accordance with the provisions at 20 CFR § 658.420-423. For purpose of § 658.421, a complainant filing a complaint under this subsection shall be deemed to have exhausted the State agency administrative remedies set forth at 20 CFR § 658.410-416.

#### Subpart B—Responsibilities Under Executive Order 10562

##### § 654.11 Purpose of subpart.

This subpart implements the responsibilities of the Secretary of Labor in determining areas of substantial unemployment in accordance with Executive Order 10582 issued pursuant to

the Buy American Act, 41 U.S.C. 10a et seq.

#### § 654.12 Description of Executive Order 10582.

(a) Under the Buy American Act, heads of executive agencies are required to determine, as a condition precedent to the purchase by their agencies of materials of foreign origin for public use within the United States, (1) that the price of like materials of domestic origin is unreasonable, or (2) that the purchase of like materials of domestic origin is inconsistent with the public interest.

(b) Section 3(c) of Executive Order 10582 issued pursuant to the Buy American Act permits executive agencies to reject a bid or offer to furnish materials of foreign origin in any situation in which the domestic supplier, offering the lowest price for furnishing the desired materials, undertakes to produce substantially all of the materials in areas of substantial unemployment, as determined by the Secretary of Labor.

#### § 654.13 Determination of areas of substantial unemployment.

An area of substantial unemployment, for purposes of Executive Order 10582, shall be any area classified as a labor surplus area at § 654.4 of this Part pursuant to the procedures set forth at Subpart A of this Part.

#### § 654.14 Filing of employment service-related complaints.

Employment service-related complaints arising under Subpart B of this Part may be filed directly with the appropriate Department of Labor regional office in accordance with the provisions at 20 CFR § 658.420-423. For purposes of § 658.421, a complainant filing a complaint under this subsection shall be deemed to have exhausted the State agency administrative remedies set forth at 20 CFR § 658.410-416.

### PART 658—ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS GOVERNING THE EMPLOYMENT SERVICE SYSTEM

#### § 658.600 [Amended]

6. In § 658.600 the words "and 29 CFR Part 8" are deleted.

#### § 658.701 [Amended]

7. In § 658.701 the words "and at 29 CFR Part 8" are deleted.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 27th day of February, 1978.

RAY MARSHALL,  
Secretary of Labor.

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# Text of Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A

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### General Services Administration.

#### ACTION: Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** This policy provides for directing the attention of Federal departments and agencies to the potential within labor surplus areas for the award of appropriate procurement contracts and grants and the execution of agreements, for the locating of new plants or facilities, and for assigning responsibilities to specified officials of the Government to carry out the policy. This revision brings the policy into conformance with Pub. L. 95-89. The effect of the revisions will be to direct an increased amount of procurement to labor surplus areas.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** October 27, 1977.  
**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.**

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Part 134 is recaptioned and revised to read as follows:

#### PART 134—PRESERVATION OF THE MOBILIZATION BASE THROUGH THE PLACEMENT OF PROCUREMENT AND FACILITIES IN LABOR SURPLUS AREAS (DMP-4A)

1. *Purpose.* Success of the national security program depends upon efficient use of all our resources, including labor force and facilities, which are preserved through practice of the skills of both management and workers. A primary aim of Federal manpower policy is to encourage full utilization of existing production facilities and workers in preference to creating new plants or moving workers, thus assisting in the maintenance of economic balance and employment stability. When large numbers of workers move to already tight areas, heavy burdens are placed on community facilities—schools, hospitals, housing, transportation, utilities, etc. On the other hand, when unemployment develops in certain areas, unemployment costs increase the total cost to the Government, and plants, tools, and workers' skills remain idle and unable to contribute to our national security program. Consequently it is the purpose of Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A to (a) direct attention to the potentialities of labor surplus areas for the award of appropriate procurement contracts and grants, for the execution of agreements, and for the locating of new plants or facilities, and (b) assign responsibilities to specified officials of the Government to carry out the policy stated below.

2. *Cancellation.* This policy cancels and supersedes Defense Manpower Policy No. 4.

3. *Authority.* Pursuant to the authority vested in the Administrator of General Services by Executive Order 10480, Executive Order 11051, as amended, and Executive Order 11723, and in accordance with Public Law 95-89, Defense Manpower Policy No. 4A is hereby issued.

4. *Policy.* It is the policy of the Federal Government to award appropriate contracts and grants to, and to execute agreements with, eligible labor surplus area concerns, to place facilities in labor surplus areas, and to make the best use of appropriate resources in order to achieve the following objectives:

(a) To preserve management and employee skills necessary to the fulfillment of Government contracts and purchases;

(b) To maintain productive facilities;

(c) To improve utilization of the Nation's total economic potential by making use of the economic resources of each area; and

(d) To help ensure timely delivery of required goods and services and to promote readiness to expanded efforts by locating procurement where the needed labor force and facilities are fully available.

5. *Applicability and scope.* The provisions of this policy apply to all Federal departments and agencies, except as otherwise prohibited by law. Set-aside procedures used under this policy shall apply to appropriate procurements, grants, and agreements greater than \$2,500.

6. *Definitions.*—(a) *Labor surplus areas.* Labor surplus areas are geographic areas determined by the Secretary of Labor. This determination shall be made so as to target this policy to the areas of greatest unemployment. Furthermore, in making such determination, the Secretary of Labor is authorized to declare certain areas labor surplus areas because of catastrophic events even though they may not qualify under normal procedures.

(b) *Eligibility.* An offering firm shall be deemed eligible for a labor surplus area set-aside award if it agrees to perform a substantial proportion of production, manufacturing, or appropriate services in labor surplus areas, as of the date of the award.

(c) *Substantial performance.* A recipient of a contract or grant or a party to an agreement shall be deemed to achieve substantial performance in a labor surplus area if the aggregate costs that will be incurred by the recipient or its first-tier subcontractors on account of manufacturing, production, or appropriate services performed in a labor surplus area amount to more than one-half of the contract price.

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[ Defense Manpower Policy DMP-4A ]

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7. **Implementation.** (a) Priority shall be given in the awarding of contracts and grants, the execution of agreements, and the encouragement of the award of subcontracts to concerns which perform a substantial proportion of the manufacturing, production, or appropriate services on those contracts and subcontracts within labor surplus areas. Labor surplus areas set asides are authorized if the Federal department or agency determines that there is a reasonable expectation that offers will be obtained from a sufficient number of responsible, eligible concerns so that awards will be made at reasonable prices.

(b) In carrying out labor surplus area and small business set-aside programs, Federal departments and agencies shall award appropriate contracts and grants, execute agreements, and encourage the award of subcontracts for procurement to the following in the manner and in the order stated:

(1) Concerns which are located in labor surplus areas and which are also small business concerns, on the basis of a total set-aside.

(2) Concerns which are small business concerns, on the basis of a total set-aside.

(3) Concerns which are small business concerns, on the basis of a partial set-aside.

(4) Concerns which are located in labor surplus areas, on the basis of a total set-aside.

In this connection, contracting officers shall make unilateral set-asides in accordance with the above priorities.

(c) All Federal departments and agencies shall:

(1) Use their best efforts to award all procurement contracts and grants, and execute agreements, greater than \$2,500 to concerns that will perform a substantial proportion of the manufacturing, production, or appropriate services on those contracts within labor surplus areas, to the extent that procurement objectives will permit.

(2) Ensure that firms in labor surplus areas that are on appropriate bidders mailing lists are given the opportunity to submit offers on all procurements for which they are qualified. Whenever the number of firms on a bidders mailing list is excessive in relation to size and type of procurement, a representative number of firms from labor surplus areas shall be given the opportunity to submit offers.

(3) Establish programs to encourage prime contractors to award subcontracts to firms that agree to perform a substantial proportion of the production, manufacturing, or appropriate services on those subcontracts in labor surplus areas.

(4) Cooperate with other Federal departments and agencies in achieving the objectives of this policy.

(d) The preferences described in this policy shall be in addition to other preferences to which firms may be entitled because of performance in labor surplus areas, such as the preference under the Buy American Act.

8. **Responsibilities.** To carry out the purpose and policy objectives set forth above, the following assignments of responsibilities are made:

(a) The Secretary of Labor shall:

(1) Classify labor surplus areas and disseminate this information on a timely basis to Federal departments and agencies.

(2) In cooperation with State and local authorities and the Secretary of Commerce, provide labor-market data and related economic information in efforts to assist in the initiation of industrial expansion programs in labor surplus areas.

(3) Identify occupations and skills which are in surplus supply within labor surplus areas and make this information available to firms requiring such occupations and skills and interested in establishing new plants and facilities.

(4) Identify occupations and skills for which labor will be needed by new or expanding industries and industries that expand during a mobilization; and, in collaboration with other Government agencies, make assistance available to labor surplus area institutions and users in developing on-the-job, apprentice, or other training programs for developing skills of the work force.

(5) Through the affiliated State employment services, receive job openings on a voluntary basis and/or under the mandatory listing program provided for by section 2012 of Title 38 of the United States Code and by Executive Order 11701, and refer qualified unemployed workers to concerns in labor surplus areas.

(b) The Secretary of Commerce shall:

(1) In cooperation with State economic development agencies, the Secretary of Defense, the Administrator of General Services, and the Administrator of the Small Business Administration, assist concerns which have agreed to perform contracts in labor surplus areas in obtaining Government procurement business by: (A) Providing such concerns with timely information on proposed Government procurements; and (B) maintaining current information on the manufacturing capabilities of such concerns with respect to Government procurement and disseminating such information to Federal departments and agencies.

(2) Urge concerns planning new production facilities to consider the advantages of locating in labor surplus areas.

(3) Provide technical advice and counsel to groups and organizations in labor surplus areas on planned industrial parks, industrial development organizations, expanding tourist business, and available Federal aids.

(c) The Administrator of the Small Business Administration shall make available to small business concerns in labor surplus areas all of its services, endeavor to ensure opportunity for maximum participation by such concerns in Government procurement, and give consideration to the needs of these concerns

in the making of joint small business set-asides with Government procurement agencies.

(d) There is hereby continued in operation within the Federal Preparedness Agency the Surplus Manpower Committee.

(1) This Committee shall be chaired by the Director, Federal Preparedness Agency, General Services Administration, or his designee, and shall include representation from the Office of Federal Procurement Policy; Department of Defense; Department of Commerce; Department of Labor; General Services Administration; Small Business Administration; Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Department of Housing and Urban Development; Department of Energy; and other interested departments and agencies.

(2) The Committee shall advise the Director, Federal Preparedness Agency, on policies, procedures, and activities in existence or needed to carry out the purpose of this policy.

(3) When an entire industry that sells a significant proportion of its production to the Government is generally depressed or has a significant proportion of its production units located in a labor surplus area, the Committee may make appropriate recommendations relative to that industry in lieu of recommendations relative to specific geographical areas. In such cases, after notice to and hearing of interested parties, the Director, Federal Preparedness Agency, will give consideration to appropriate measures applicable to the entire industry.

(e) All Federal departments and agencies shall give consideration to labor surplus areas in the selection of sites for Government-financed facilities, including expansion, to the extent that such selection is consistent with existing law and essential economic and strategic factors that must also be taken into account.

9. **Reporting requirements.** Reports and monitoring of the effects of this policy, including subcontracting activity, shall be the responsibility of the Department of Defense for all military procurements and the General Services Administration for all civilian procurements. Copies of these reports shall be furnished by agencies receiving these reports to the Federal Preparedness Agency on a regular basis.

(Pub. L. 95-89; Executive Order 10480; Executive Order 11031, as amended; and Executive Order 11723.)

**NOTE.**—The General Services Administration has determined that this document does not contain a major proposal requiring preparation of an Inflation Impact Statement under Executive Order 11821 and OMB Circular A-107.

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Administrator of General Services.  
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# State Employment Security Agencies

Alabama	Dept. of Industrial Relations, 649 Monroe St. Montgomery 36130
Alaska	Employment Security Div., Dept. of Labor, 4th & Harris Sts., P.O. Box 3-7000, Juneau 99811
Arizona	Department of Economic Security, P.O. Box 6123, Phoenix 85005
Arkansas	Employment Security Commission, P.O. Box 2981, Capitol Mall, Little Rock 72203
California	Employment Development Department, 800 Capitol Mall, Sacramento 95814
Colorado	Division of Employment and Training, 251 E. 12th Ave., Denver 80203
Connecticut	Employment Security Division, Hartford 06115
Delaware	Department of Labor, 801 West Street, Wilmington 19899
District of Columbia	D.C. Department of Manpower, 500 C St., NW, Washington, DC 20001
Florida	District Unemployment Compensation Board, 6th & Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20001
Georgia	Department of Commerce, Collins Building, Suite 510, Tallahassee 32304
Guam	Employment Security Agency, 290 State Labor Building, Atlanta 30334
Hawaii	Department of Labor, Government of Guam, P.O. Box 2950, Agana 96910
Idaho	Dept. of Labor & Industrial Relations, 825 Mililani St., Honolulu 96813
Illinois	Department of Employment, 317 Main Street, P.O. Box 35, Boise 83707
Indiana	Bureau of Employment Security, 910 South Michigan Ave., Chicago 60605
Iowa	Employment Security Division, 10 North Senate Ave., Indianapolis 46204
Kansas	Iowa Department of Job Service, 1000 East Grand Ave., Des Moines 50319
Kentucky	Division of Employment, Dept. of Human Resources, 401 Topeka Ave., Topeka 66603
Louisiana	Department of Human Resources, Room 237, Capitol Annex, Frankfort 40601
Maine	Department of Employment Security, 1001 N. 23rd St., Baton Rouge 70804
Maryland	Employment Security Commission, 20 Union St., Augusta 04332
Massachusetts	Employment Security Administration, 1100 North Eutaw St., Baltimore 21201
Michigan	Division of Employment Security, Charles F. Hurley ES Bldg., Boston 02114
Minnesota	Michigan Employment Security Commission, 7310 Woodward Ave., Detroit 48202
Mississippi	Department of Employment Services, 390 N. Robert Street, St. Paul 55101
Missouri	Employment Security Commission, 1520 W. Capital St., P.O. Box 1699, Jackson 39205
Montana	Div. of Employment Security, 421 E. Dunklin St., P.O. Box 59, Jefferson City 65101
Nebraska	Employment Security Div., Corner of Lockey & Roberts, P.O. Box 1728, Helena 59601
Nevada	Div. of Employment, 550 S. 16th St., P.O. Box 94600, Lincoln 68509
New Hampshire	Employment Security Department, 500 East 3rd St., Carson City 89713
New Jersey	Department of Employment Security, 32 S. Main St., Room 204, Concord 03301
New Mexico	Department of Labor & Industry, John Fitch Plaza, P.O. Box V, Trenton 08625
New York	Employment Security Comm., 401 Broadway NE, P.O. Box 1928, Albuquerque 87103
North Carolina	Department of Labor, State Campus, Building 12, Albany 12240
North Dakota	Employment Security Commission, P.O. Box 25903, 200 W. Jones St., Raleigh 27611
Ohio	Employment Security Bureau, 1000 E. Divide Ave., P.O. Box 1537, Bismarck 58505
Oklahoma	Bureau of Employment Services, 145 S. Front St., P.O. Box 1618, Columbus 43216
Oregon	Employment Security Comm., Will Rogers Memorial Office Bldg., Oklahoma City 73105
Pennsylvania	Employment Division, 875 Union St., NE, Salem 97311
Puerto Rico	Bureau of Employment Security, Labor & Industry Bldg., 7th and Forster Sts., Harrisburg 17121
Rhode Island	Bureau of Employment Security, 414 Barbosa Avenue, Hato Rey 00917
South Carolina	Department of Employment Security, 24 Mason St., Providence 02903
South Dakota	Employment Security Comm., 1550 Gadsden St., P.O. Box 995, Columbia 29202
Tennessee	Employment Security Department, 607 North Fourth St., Aberdeen 57401
Texas	Department of Employment Security, 536 Cordell Hull Bldg., Nashville 37219
Utah	Employment Commission, 638 TEC Bldg., 15th & Congress Ave., Austin 78778
Vermont	Department of Employment Security, 174 Social Hall Ave., P.O. Box 11249, Salt Lake City 84147
Virginia	Dept. of Employment Security, 5 Green Mountain Dr., P.O. Box 488, Montpelier 05602
Virgin Islands	Employment Commission, 703 East Main St., P.O. Box 1358, Richmond 23211
Washington	Employment Security Agency, 35 Norre Gade St., P.O. Box 1092, Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas 00801
West Virginia	Employment Security Dept. ES Bldg., 212 Maple Park, Olympia 98504
Wisconsin	Department of Employment Security, 112 California Ave., Charleston 25305
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